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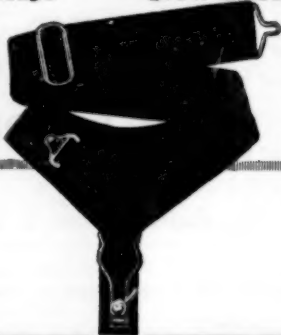
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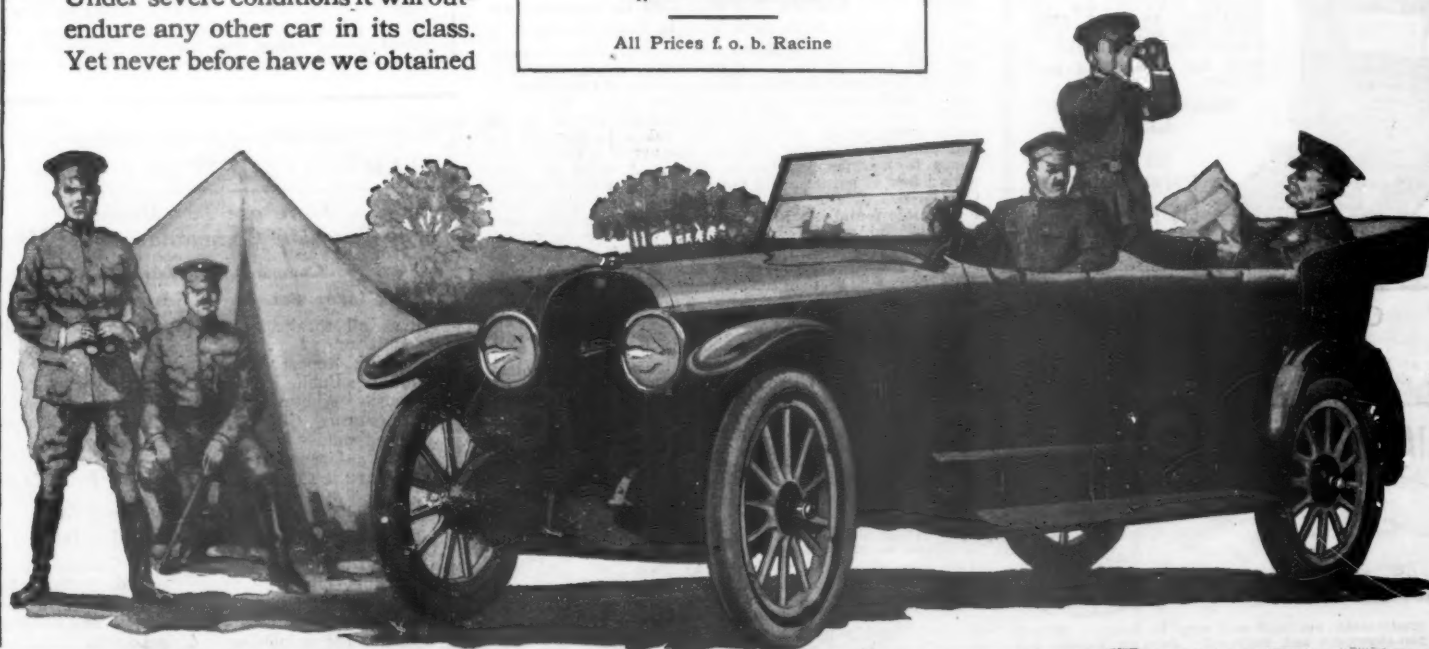
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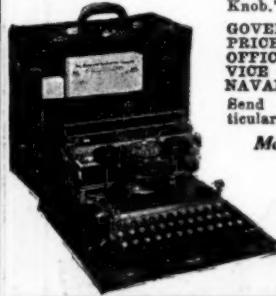
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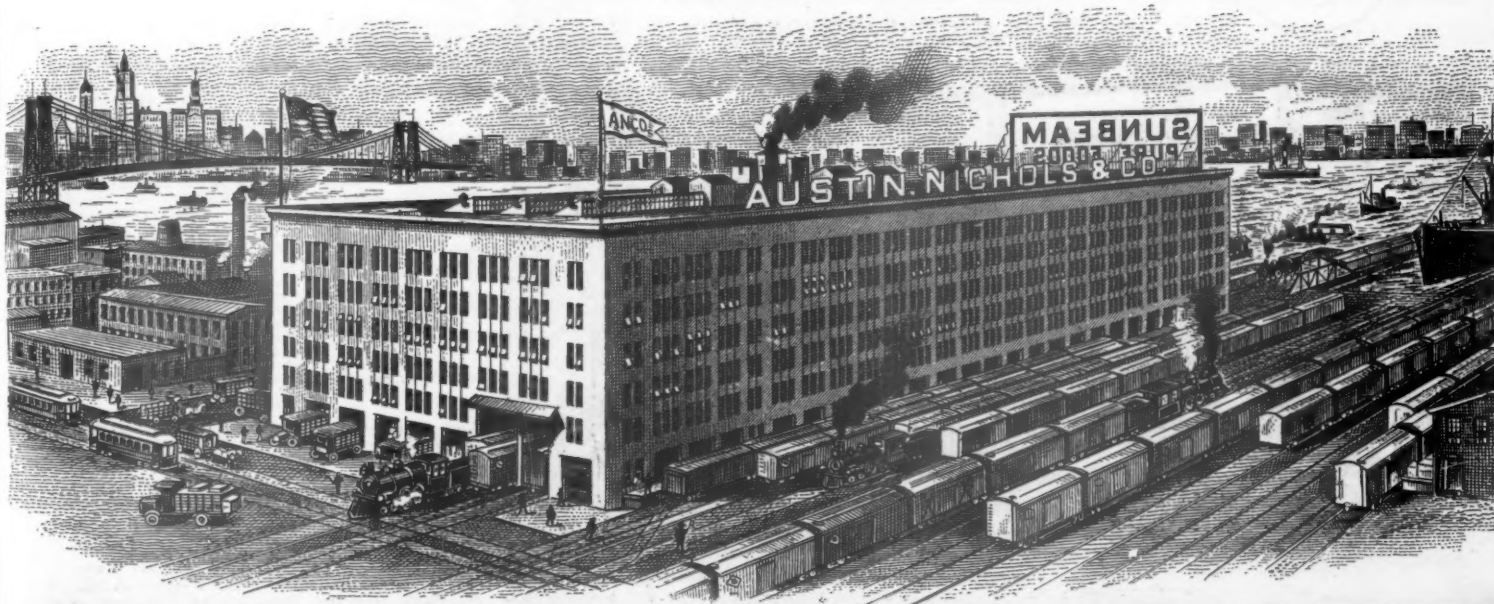
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The Adjutant General's Office, War Department, has
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ances of appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps have
been received, additional to the lists published in the
issue of August 25:

Note.—Rank, date of rank, and address follow name
of appointee. We omit street address. Lineal numbers
are not given in the official lists as submitted by the
A.G.O. since Aug. 4.

SOUTHEASTERN DEPARTMENT.

The following lists were issued Aug. 10:

INFANTRY OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Rhea, James D., 2d Lieut., 5-21-17, Memphis, Tenn.

SIGNAL OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Ramsey, Paul J., Capt., 7-10-17, Green Cove Springs, Fla.

ENGINEER OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Riley, Harrie D. W., Capt., 6-19-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Cook, J. O., Capt., 6-19-17, Atlanta, Ga.
Mason, Edmund B., Capt., 6-23-17, New Orleans, La.
Woody, John W., Capt., 6-23-17, Rayville, La.
King, Van R. C., Capt., 7-5-17, Wilmington, N.C.
Hardesty, George R., Capt., 7-10-17, Goldsboro, N.C.
Hausmann, Frederick W., 1st Lieut., 6-19-17, Birmingham, Ala.
Tucker, Elliott J., 1st Lieut., 6-19-17, Birmingham, Ala.
March, George M., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Fulford, Fla.
Lewis, John H., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, New Orleans, La.
McChargo, Russell W., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Memphis, Tenn.
Snellman, R. H., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Gainesville, Fla.
King, Campbell T., jr., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Macon, Ga.
Cox, Moses E., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Statesboro, Ga.
Sauls, Charles E., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Birmingham, Ala.
Davis, Charles J., jr., 2d Lieut., 6-19-17, Crandall, Fla.
Fontaine, Matthew M., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Wooddale, N.C.
McConnell, Samuel L., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, New Orleans, La.
Milburn, Knapp, 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Hall, Harvey A., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Gainesville, Fla.
Lester, Herbert H., 2d Lieut., 7-2-17, Jackson, Miss.
Ribble, Keith P., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, Atlanta, Ga.
Helmich, Daniel A., jr., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, Birmingham, Ala.
Delchamps, Harold J., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, Mobile, Ala.
Hayne, Honore M., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, New Orleans, La.
Powell, John C., 7-5-17, Auburn, Ala.

MEDICAL OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Haggard, William D., Major, 5-31-17, Nashville, Tenn.
MacDiarmid, John, Capt., 6-28-17, De Land, Fla.
Booth, Bernard H., Capt., 6-28-17, Drew, Miss.
Mitchell, Lucian B., Capt., 6-28-17, Tampa, Fla.
Bethoa, William R., Capt., 6-28-17, Hattiesburg, Miss.
Lawrence, Charles S., Capt., 6-28-17, Winston-Salem, N.C.
Cline, Daniel B., Capt., 6-28-17, Franklin, Tenn.
Hodgeson, Samuel H., Capt., 6-28-17, Fairhope, Ala.
Barnett, Jackson H., Capt., 6-28-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Manlove, William R., 1st Lieut., 3-24-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Samuel, Ernest C., 1st Lieut., 4-10-17, New Orleans, La.
Browne, Paul Z., 1st Lieut., 6-1-17, Grenada, Miss.
Johnson, George E., 1st Lieut., 6-1-17, Hudsonville, Miss.
Day, Gaston, 1st Lieut., 6-1-17, Jacksonville, Fla.
Byrd, William G., 1st Lieut., 6-1-17, Isola, Miss.
Spivey, George H., 1st Lieut., 6-5-17, Hollandale, Miss.
Lambdin, Ludlow, 1st Lieut., 6-5-17, St. Petersburg, Fla.
Ryne, Arthur W., 1st Lieut., 6-8-17, New Orleans, La.
Speck, Clyde M., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, New Albany, Miss.
Lusk, William J., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Brooksville, Miss.
Frierson, Samuel E., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Memphis, Tenn.
Magruder, Thomas V., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Birmingham, Ala.
Marlette, George C., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Haynesville, Ala.
McFadden, Ralph H., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Chester, S.C.
Walkup, Adam C., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, McIntosh, Fla.
Wilcox, Everard A., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Augusta, Ga.
Anderson, Warren E., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Pensacola, Fla.
Murphy, Daniel J., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, New Orleans, La.
De Witt, James William A., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Midnight, Miss.
Smith, Thomas H., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Atlanta, Ga.
Martin, Albert B., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Harlem, Ga.
Boyes, William G., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Flatwoods, Tenn.
Hagler, Edward C., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Northport, Ala.
Kearney, Harold L., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, New Orleans, La.
Lang, George H., 1st Lieut., 6-22-17, Savannah, Ga.
Barkley, Claud D., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, New Orleans, La.
Thompson, Edward G., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Memphis, Tenn.
Reed, Jesse McO., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Churchville, Ala.
Butts, James W., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Helena, Ark.
Lemkowitz, David G., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Fort Adams, Miss.
Brewer, William A., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Memphis, Tenn.
Heath, Arthur G., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Shreveport, La.
Durham, Albert, 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Charlotte, N.C.
Parker, Prentiss E., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, Bourg, La.
Mordecai, Alfred, 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Raleigh, N.C.
McNeese, William T., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Angie, La.
Whitlock, William E., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Fort White, Fla.
Handley, Drow R., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Jacksonville, Fla.
Willis, Harry C., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Morehead City, N.C.
McClinton, James K., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Monroe, Ga.
Duggan, Sneathen B., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Englewood, Tenn.
Gill, Denson, 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Gilbert, La.
Gruver, Fleetwood, 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Nashville, Tenn.
Farmer, Eli E., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Dockery, Miss.
Salley, Fitzhugh P., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Buffalo, S.C.
Newham, John A., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Groveland, Fla.
Foster, Robert E., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Carrollton, Ga.
Pruitt, George C., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Calhoun Falls, S.C.
Athey, Clanton E., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Ramer, Ala.
Cappel, Jack T., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Alexandria, La.
Bryson, Edmond J., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Fontana, N.C.
Mull, Joseph H., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Rome, Ga.
Anderson, Ernest L., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Memphis, Tenn.
Fitzgerald, Philip H., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Blakeley, Ga.
White, John A., 6-27-17, Albany, Ga.
Hendrick, Francis G., 1st Lieut., 6-27-17, Hartshoro, Ala.
Coppedge, Thomas M., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Memphis, Tenn.
Lyle, Joseph D., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Savannah, Ga.
Anderson, Jesse M., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Columbus, Ga.
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Stidphen, Henry N., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, New Orleans, La.
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Chapman, Arch S., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Mammoth Springs, Ark.
McKee, Carlos R., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Wesson, Miss.
Somerville, James H., jr., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Sundstrom, Carl A. G., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
Boyce, Samuel G., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Little Rock, Ark.
McCrary, Joseph R., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Fall Branch, Tenn.
Blakely, Dalmer R., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Greenville, S.C.
Cagle, William D., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Lobelville, Tenn.
Maret, William C., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Newry, S.C.
Moody, Maxwell, 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Bell, Clarence A., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Memphis, Tenn.
Lett, Edmond R., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Tallahassee, Ala.
McNeil, Archibald W., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Ruleville, Miss.
Lassiter, John H., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Nashville, Tenn.
Crook, Whitfield W., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Cuthbert, Ga.
Hinton, Sterling B., 7-10-17, Nashville, Tenn.

Dental Section.

Wall, W. Chester, 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Atlanta, Ga.
Rambo, Samuel L., 1st Lieut., 7-6-17, Marietta, Ga.

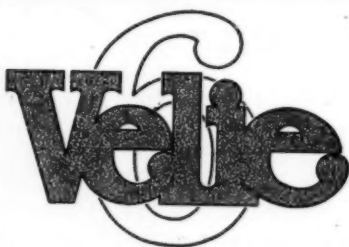
Veterinary Section.

Williamson, William H., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Shelby, N.C.
Campbell, Daniel L., 2d Lieut., 7-10-17, White, Ga.
Mount, Emanuel B., 2d Lieut., 7-10-17, Douglas, Ga.

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QUARTERMASTER OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Austin, William G., Major, 7-26-17, Savannah, Ga.
Fitz-Hugh, Alexander, Capt., 7-20-17, Vicksburg, Miss.
Stranger, Frederick K., Capt., 7-26-17, West Raleigh, N.C.
Cotter, Dennis H., Capt., 7-26-17, Columbia, S.C.

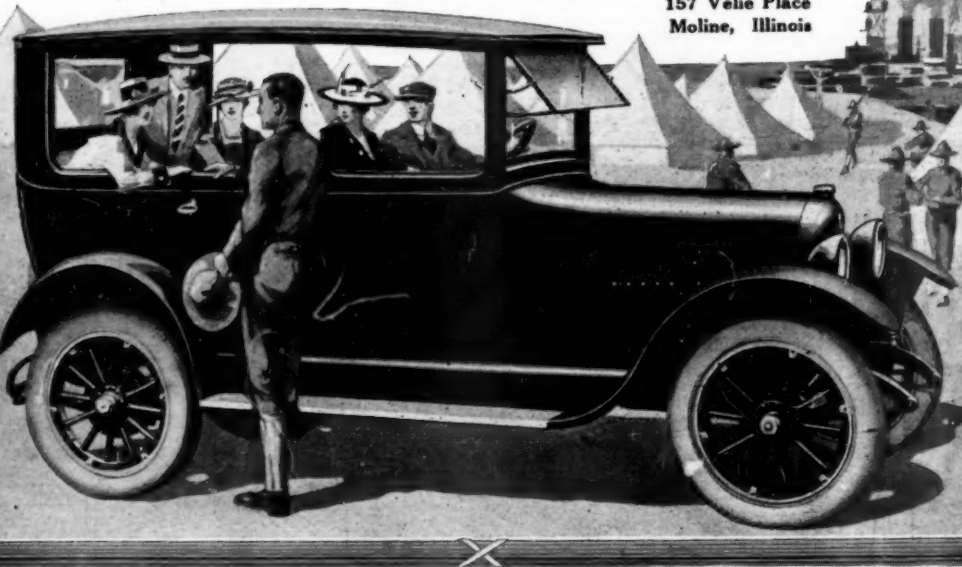


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 Aldridge, Charles W., 1st Lieut., 6-18-17, Augusta Arsenal, Ga.

SIGNAL OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Hewes, William A., Capt., 7-26-17, Memphis, Tenn.

Aviation Section.

Muller, George W., Capt., 7-10-17, Memphis, Tenn.
 Smith, Julian C., Capt., 7-16-17, Youcopio, Ark.
 Stikeleather, Gilliland, 1st Lieut., 7-20-17, Asheville, N.C.
 Curd, Joyce, 1st Lieut., 7-20-17, Canton, N.C.

ENGINEER OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Grandy, Lloyd H., Capt., 7-30-17, Bamberg, S.C.
 Stafford, Fred D., Capt., 7-19-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Cook, Chauncey W., Capt., 7-10-17, Charleston, S.C.
 Snyder, Enness E., 2d Lieut., 6-23-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Monroe, William B., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, New Orleans, La.
 Humphreys, Francis A., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, Little Rock, Ark.
 Gregory, Robert L., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, Chattanooga, Tenn.
 Cookston, Roy, 2d Lieut., 7-30-17, Jonesboro, La.

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The following list was issued Aug. 10:

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Stuot, Oscar V. P., Major, 6-28-17, Lincoln, Nebr.
 Buck, Walter V., Capt., 6-19-17, Kansas City, Mo.
 Watson, Philip J., jr., Capt., 6-19-17, Bloomington, Ill.
 Morris, Pendleton S., jr., Capt., 6-19-17, Grand Rapids, Mich.
 Eastman, Harry T., Capt., 6-19-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Herick, Wendell S., Capt., 6-23-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Macomb, John de N., jr., Capt., 6-23-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Williamson, George H., Capt., 6-28-17, Denver, Colo.
 Mace, Clement H., Capt., 6-28-17, Denver, Colo.
 Clark, William E., Capt., 7-2-17, Appleton, Wis.
 Bickel, Willis F., Capt., 7-2-17, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
 Hartness, James C., Capt., 7-5-17, Eveleth, Minn.
 Healey, Charles F., Capt., 7-5-17, Chicago, Ill.
 White, Robert H., Capt., 7-5-17, Louisville, Ky.
 Knickern, Philip W., Capt., 7-10-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Dougherty, Charles C., 1st Lieut., 6-13-17, Wheeling, W. Va.
 Ferguson, Harry F., 1st Lieut., 6-13-17, Urbana, Ill.
 Thompson, Lauren, 1st Lieut., 6-19-17, Youngstown, Ohio.
 Lamon, Wallace J., 1st Lieut., 6-19-17, Wellsburg, W. Va.
 Herman, Ralph E., jr., 1st Lieut., 6-19-17, Minneapolis, Minn.
 Clancy, Phillip W., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Omaha, Nebr.
 Morrow, Samuel R., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Jefferson City, Mo.
 Reilly, Raymond T., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Rockford, Ill.
 McClure, Donald C., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Denver, Colo.
 Hoffman, Michael J., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, St. Paul, Minn.
 Lee, Carl, 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Schiffera, Emil A., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Chicago, Ill.
 James, Hamilton D., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Covington, Ky.
 Kingsley, Neil S., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Minneapolis, Minn.
 Skeldon, David F., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Toledo, Ohio.
 Swenson, Alfred M., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, St. Paul, Minn.
 McComber, Frank A., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Duluth, Minn.
 Burgess, George F., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, St. Louis, Mo.
 Reynolds, John F., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Storm Lake, Iowa.
 Elston, Allan V., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Junction City, Kas.
 MacKenzie, Chester M., 2d Lieut., 6-13-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Stephenson, John R., 2d Lieut., 6-19-17, Elkhart, Ind.
 Lamb, Herbert W., 2d Lieut., 6-19-17, Culver, Ind.
 Navor, Hugh N., 2d Lieut., 6-23-17, La Grange, Ill.
 Smith, Horace H., 2d Lieut., 6-23-17, West Lafayette, Ind.
 Horner, Benjamin B., 2d Lieut., 6-23-17, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Lefter, Jay C., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, South Omaha, Nebr.
 Smith, Earl H., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Walsh, Edward P., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Davenport, Iowa.
 Greenstone, Samuel A., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Kane, Eugene A., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Mt. Vernon, Ill.
 Wallin, Walter R., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Chicago, Ill.
 McGuire, William P., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Oak Park, Ill.
 Johnston, Ralph E., 2d Lieut., 7-2-17, St. Paul, Minn.
 Knox, Wilson N., 2d Lieut., 7-2-17, Columbus, Ohio.
 Turnquist, Axel A., 2d Lieut., 7-2-17, Eveleth, Minn.
 Kriz, Frank, 2d Lieut., 7-2-17, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.
 Pearce, William R., 2d Lieut., 7-2-17, Denver, Colo.
 Stride, Harry W., 2d Lieut., 7-2-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Koepke, Walter E., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, Minneapolis, Minn.

QUARTERMASTER OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Kothe, Eugene H., Capt., 6-26-17, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Ballew, Lester A., Capt., 7-2-17, Peoria, Ill.

ORDNANCE OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Jackson, John R., Capt., 6-25-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Webster, Lawrence B., Capt., 6-26-17, Cleveland, Ohio.
 Johnston, Jerome E., Capt., 7-2-17, Topeka, Kas.
 Odom, William F., Capt., 7-10-17, Waukegan, Ill.
 Zelner, Karl J., Capt., 7-10-17, Cleveland, Ohio.
 Mathews, Joseph H., Capt., 7-10-17, Madison, Wis.
 Trix, Herbert E., Capt., 7-10-17, Detroit, Mich.
 Rogers, Harry E., Capt., 7-10-17, St. Louis, Mo.
 Morgan, Mathew B., Capt., 7-16-17, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Oberdorfer, Henry D., Capt., 7-16-17, Urbana, Ill.
 Weaver, Fleming R., 1st Lieut., 6-25-17, Springfield, Ill.
 Wood, James D., 1st Lieut., 6-25-17, Toledo, Ohio.
 Kipka, Ross E., 1st Lieut., 6-26-17, Cleveland, Ohio.
 Houser, Charles S., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Chillicothe, Ohio.
 Gunsaulus, Alfred C., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Burnell, Lorenzo D., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Detroit, Mich.
 Herbst, Fred W., jr., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Columbus, Ohio.
 Weary, Rollin D., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Tenney, Gerald E., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Dayton, Ohio.
 Miller, William W., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Reilly, John S., 1st Lieut., 7-14-17, Columbus, Ohio.
 Stecher, Henry D., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Alliance, Ohio.
 Jackman, Edwin T., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Chicago, Ill.

SIGNAL OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

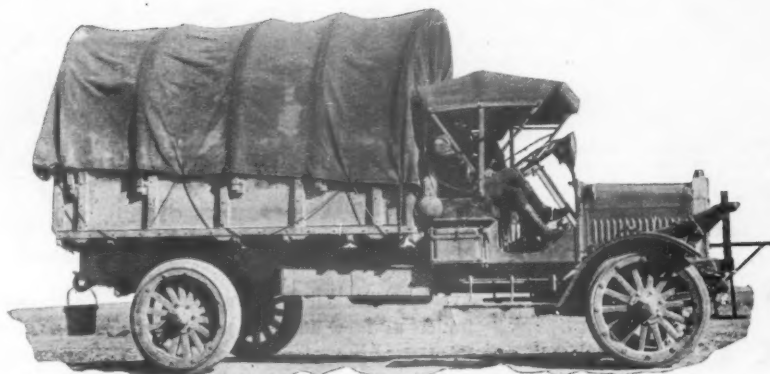
Welsh, Charles R., Capt., 7-2-17, Clay Center, Kas.
 Sperry, Arthur B., Capt., 7-10-17, Grundy Center, Iowa.
 Todd, Samuel R., Capt., 7-10-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Walsh, Richard E., Capt., 7-10-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Norwood, Fred E., 1st Lieut., 6-25-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Mitchell, Len B., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Ferriter, John P., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Sioux City, Iowa.
 Stinson, William W., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Champaign, Ill.
 James, Henry C., jr., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, St. Paul, Minn.
 Miller, Lloyd T., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Detroit, Mich.
 Greig, James A., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Chicago, Ill.

Aviation Section.

Hughes, Herbert, Capt., 6-25-17, Grosse Point, Mich.
 Marmon, Howard C., Capt., 6-26-17, Indianapolis, Ind.
 Weinstein, Henry, 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Goshen, Ind.
 Smith, Harry M., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Chicago, Ill.

MEDICAL OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Clark, James F., Major, 6-20-17, Fairfield, Iowa.
 Robertson, Harold E., Major, 6-20-17, Minneapolis, Minn.
 Black, Nelson M., Major, 7-10-17, Milwaukee, Wis.
 Powell, Rawley H., Capt., 6-15-17, Fairmont, W. Va.
 Van Epps, Clarence, Capt., 6-15-17, Iowa City, Iowa.
 Johnson, Edward H., Capt., 6-15-17, Peabody, Kas.
 Bender, Frederick P., Capt., 6-15-17, Caro, Mich.
 Metcalf, John E., Capt., 6-28-17, Gary, Ind.
 Moore, John W., Capt., 6-28-17, Louisville, Ky.
 Middlesbrook, Robert, Capt., 6-28-17, Kansas City, Mo.
 Mussey, Robert D., Capt., 6-28-17, Rochester, Minn.
 Morrison, Angus W., Capt., 6-28-17, Minneapolis, Minn.
 Kessel, James E., Capt., 6-28-17, Des Moines, Iowa.
 Lewis, Henry E., Capt., 6-28-17, Chicago, Ill.
 Rivers, Horace T., Capt., 6-28-17, Paducah, Ky.
 Foat, John S., Capt., 6-28-17, Ripon, Wis.
 Williams, Clarence M., Capt., 6-28-17, Alpena, Mich.
 Lunn, William B., Capt., 6-28-17, Marquette, Mich.
 Layne, Porter C., Capt., 6-28-17, Ashland, Ky.
 Parker, Sam F., Capt., 6-28-17, Somerset, Ky.
 Hyatt, Meredith W., Capt., 6-28-17, Springfield, Ky.
 Harston, Charles L., Capt., 6-28-17, Mason City, Iowa.
 Houston, James, Capt., 6-28-17, Swarts Creek, Mich.
 Harding, John C., Capt., 6-28-17, St. Paul, Minn.
 Balch, Ralph E., Capt., 6-28-17, Kalamazoo, Mich.
 Herrick, John F., Capt., 6-28-17, Ottumwa, Iowa.
 Meyerding, Edward A., Capt., 6-28-17, St. Paul, Minn.
 Richards, William M., Capt., 6-28-17, Plattville, Wis.
 Conley, Bernard M., Capt., 7-5-17, Wilmette, Ill.
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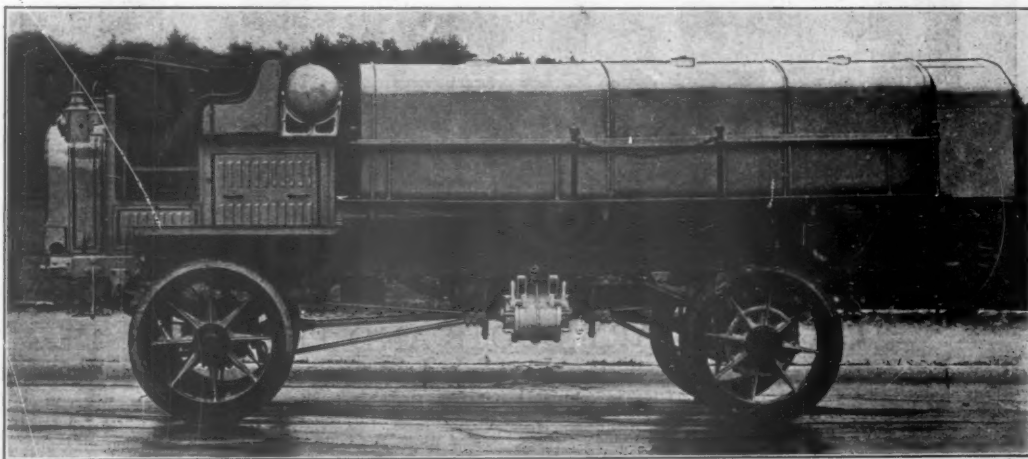
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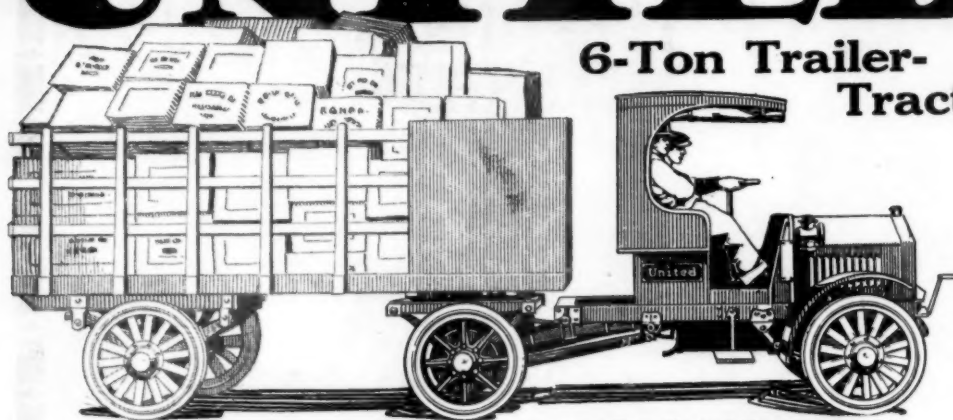
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CARING FOR THE SOLDIERS' EYES.

The Surgeon General's Office of the Army in conjunction with the sub-committee of the Council of National Defense has been making preparation for the care and treatment of the eyes of the troops. The committee made a survey of all the eye specialists in the United States; and Major Gen. W. C. Gorgas now has a list of all the ophthalmologists who are willing to serve for the war. The committee sent to 9,000 specialists a communication designed to elicit the special training and experience of each, to ascertain his fitness for Army Service. It sent to those who were approved and who had signified their willingness to serve blank cards for admission to the Medical Reserve Corps.

Dr. Nelson M. Black was commissioned and on the recommendation of the Surgeon General was assigned to duty in his office, in charge of ophthalmology as a subdivision of the section on surgery of the head. There he has prepared a list placing the names of the physicians in classes according to their experience and standing, so that the Surgeon General may be guided in selecting the right men when the time comes. He is now engaged in preparing a list of the members of the Medical Reserve Corps especially qualified for making all examinations at the Army cantonments. He has selected a group of specialists to examine all suspected cases of trachoma, as every effort will be made to keep that serious infection out of the Army.

Eye trouble has always been one of the favorite claims of the malingerer; but this section has prepared a set of tests that will certainly land him in the guardhouse, unless he is unusually proficient. This same section has prepared a list of eye instruments for use in the base hospitals. It has also prepared plans for utilizing one of the wards in each cantonment hospital for eye examinations. It recommends that members of the Medical Reserve Corps wishing immediate service apply to the Surgeon General for assignment to one of the medical officers' training camps for instruction in administrative duties, indispensable for properly carrying on work in the Medical Department. There is no provision in the Medical Department for optometrists; and thus far the only manner in which they can be of use is by enlisting as privates, to be detailed in case of need to that duty for which they are qualified. There is, however, a prospect that a unit of manufacturing opticians may be attached to a proposed special hospital for surgery of the head; but thus far no such unit has definite status.

Provost Marshal General Crowder issued an order to the Governors of all the states on Aug. 25, directing that only five per cent. of the quota assembled by each district board be sent to camp on Sept. 5. The order stated that, "These should preferably be men of former military experience and men who can cook. No colored troops will be sent in this contingent, and the men may be entrained to take the shortest route. Only one per cent. of each city or country

quota will entrain on each of the five mobilization days succeeding Sept. 5. Forty per cent. of each board's quota will be mobilized under the order on Sept. 19, and the four days succeeding. Another forty per cent. will be mobilized Oct. 3, and the remaining fifteen per cent. may be entrained as early after that date as practicable." The heavy tourist traffic around Labor Day is given as the reason for this change.

About Sept. 1 the Quartermaster General will begin to purchase animals for the new armies and in doing so will employ the "open market" method approved by the Secretary of War. Any responsible dealer or farmer is invited to offer mature horses or mules, if he can do so in carload lots at a sanitary and suitable place. He must state the number of each class of animal: cavalry and riding horses; light artillery and heavy artillery horses; and wheel, lead and pack mules that he will undertake to deliver. Also the price of each grade of animal and the place of delivery. The War Department, it is stated, will pay for the animals as they are received each day so that the dealers need not call in capital to their aid. At least one purchasing board in each of the four purchasing zones into which the country is divided will be reserved for the inspection of animals offered by farmers and breeders in not less than carload lots. The utmost pains will be taken and required to have all horses delivered free from infectious diseases. Under the old Infantry expeditionary organization the number of animals to a regiment was 477, and there were sixty-six vehicles to the same unit. The new organization calls for a much larger number of men to the regiment and a different number of animals, but the ratio of men to animals still is to be four to one. The Remount Section of the Division of Transportation is under the command of Major John S. Fair, Q.M. Corps (Cav.), the Cavalry officer who organized the remount camp at Fort Sam Houston last year. French and British officers in this country have laid emphasis on the fact that despite the tremendous importance of the motor-driven vehicle in modern warfare the horse and mule are still indispensable for certain purposes, and our Army will have need for them in greater numbers than ever before. The number that the Quartermaster Corps will be ready to purchase at present is uncertain, depending in part upon the number of troops to be sent abroad and the number of transports available to carry animals and forage after troop transportation is provided for.

The outbreak among colored soldiers of the 24th U.S. Infantry, at Camp Logan, near Houston, Texas, on Aug. 23, was an affair of the most serious character. The killing of civilians, the defiance of their officers, was mutiny that in time of war is and should be punishable with death for even those seriously involved in the outbreak who cannot be convicted of murder. To shoot down inoffensive citizens, the police in the discharge of their duty, and an officer of the Military Service, is a crime that can find neither defense nor palliation in the somewhat indefinite reports that the colored soldiers were smarting under a sense of ill-treatment and injustice at the hands of the local population. Those engaged in the affair should suffer the extreme penalty, and their should be a careful investigation into the discipline maintained if any laxity in control was a contributing cause that made such an outbreak possible. But it is to be hoped that the swift, orderly and just procedure of military law will be permitted to take its course without the interference of racial feeling, of politics, or of a mistaken attempt to substitute civil for military law. Let there be no condemnation of the colored soldier as a class because of the evil acts of a few. That he has won for himself the high regard of those who know him best is shown by the letter of a correspondent on another page, an Army officer, who knows the Negro soldier by actual experience in command of colored troops. And let it not be forgotten that the problem of the Negro race in this country as a whole forms a part of such outbreaks as that in Texas. It cannot be denied that the attitude of contempt, of distrust, and of active hatred toward the Negro that manifests itself in many communities, especially in the South, is an incitement to violence. Retaliation is not justice, it is not justifiable, but it is human. It were better that a simple-hearted race, with the good if also the evil qualities of a less complex background than that of long civilization, should find in their white neighbors encouragement to the best in them rather than incitement to the worst.

Although it is improbable that the German High Seas Fleet will ever be able to elude the watchful British fleet and gain the Atlantic in sufficient force to make raids on unprotected portions of the coast of the United States in a campaign to extend German frightfulness, many things are possible in war. Our own Navy has undoubtedly made proper allowance for such a contingency. That some desperate effort may be made by the Germans in the line of sea raids on the Atlantic, and on our coasts, is said to be the opinion of Sir John Jellicoe, of the British navy, and Vice Admiral William S. Sims, of our own. There is no official confirmation, however, that these officers have expressed any such opinion. The chances of a successful sortie by the German fleet, which has practically been held a prisoner in its home waters for over three years, we believe are slim. If a general sortie were attempted in force by the Germans the price

they would have to pay to gain the Atlantic would perhaps be too great. But it might be possible for a few German warships to get past the British fleet and by steaming far north to gain the Atlantic and cross the ocean. Should they do so, chances of their quick destruction by our warships and those of the Allies would be greater than their chances of escape. They would have no friendly harbor north of Mexico, where they could put in for supplies, and they would have to depend for supplies upon the capture of merchant ships, which in such a contingency are not always around when needed. Without fuel and other supplies, and with little chance of securing them, the steaming radius of the enemy's ships, far from a home port, would be badly crippled. Even the most successful of German sea raiders, such as the Prinz Eitel Friedrich, if not finally destroyed had to intern after keeping the sea for a time, because captured merchantmen did not afford them sufficient supplies. To repeat on the American coast the cruel bombardment of unprotected English seacoast towns might be considered a great achievement for the German navy, however, and the attempt might be made even with the chance of losing all ships engaged in it.

A question of much interest and importance to the officers of the National Guard Army is the method to be followed hereafter in the promotion of National Guard officers. No official decision as to the matter has yet been announced, which has left the way open for much speculation as to the best method to be followed. It has been urged that promotions of officers should be made in each National Guard division separately without regard to advancements in other divisions; this seems to be the plan most favored in the Guard itself. A second proposal is that promotions should be made in the organizations of each state as if they were still a part only of the state's military forces; and many urge as the best method promotions in the National Guard as a whole under regulations similar to those in force in the United States Army. Still another view is that promotions should be made as far as possible on the unit basis—that is, if there is a vacancy in a regimental command the officer next below should be promoted, subject to approval as to fitness by the division commander. The best information that can be obtained is that there has as yet been no determination of the question, and that there will be no decision announced until the Secretary of War, who it is understood has the matter under consideration, has looked thoroughly into the matter. The system of regimental promotions is thought to be the one favored by the Militia Bureau.

Since we are following the lead of France and England in so many things in the conduct of the war it would seem an appropriate time for the Government to appoint an "historian of the war." We have several officers in the Regular Army and the U.S. Navy who by training, inclination and demonstrated ability are well fitted for such a task and if such an appointment were made now the historian of the participation of the United States in the great war could have an opportunity to begin at the very beginning of things and not have to wait to consult past records. All signs point to the immediate need for such an official, for we already know what a marked effect the war has had on our Army organization and there is every indication that there will be a great military chapter to be written into the history of the United States before we are through with our war against the German government.

Under the new organization of our Army, which will prevail in the expeditionary forces, the total strength of the Infantry regiment is ninety-five officers and 3,604 enlisted men. This will include an enlarged machine gun company, and a new bombing company. The readjustment of the regimental units of the National Guard Army to make it conform to the new arrangement has caused a good deal of difficulty, which has, however, been overcome successfully. Generally the states have readjusted the several units to meet the new conditions and in every instance thus far the enlarged regiments have been or at least will be made up of troops from the same state. The organizations from which the men were taken to fill up the new war strength regiments will be in turn filled up by draft troops.

At the request of General Pershing, it is announced, a Camouflage Corps is being organized by the Corps of Engineers, U.S.A., for service in France. Artists who have already been drafted can be transferred, if eligible, to this branch of the Service. There are openings for commissioned and non-commissioned officers; all expenses are paid, and pay is according to rank. Military training, while desirable, is not necessary. Names of those wishing to volunteer for this service should be sent as soon as possible to D. Putnam Brinley, New Canaan, Conn., acting under orders of Major Evaris Tracy, Engrs. R.C., U.S.A.

We have prepared an index to Volume LIV., which was completed with the issue of Aug. 25, 1917, the two thousand eight hundred and eighteenth number of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL. The first number was issued Aug. 29, 1863. The first volume contained 860 pages, while the present volume has 1,768 pages. This index with title page will be sent without charge by mail, postpaid, to all who apply for it.

The Kalamazoo (Mich.) Gazette of July 27 used as its leading editorial a letter written by Capt. M. M. Garrett, U.S.A., in appreciation of a previous editorial from the same paper on "Khaki Morals." Captain Garrett's communication having been written at the direction of Major Earle B. Morden, commanding officer of Camp Custer, the National Army cantonment at Battle Creek. Captain Garrett said, among other things: "It was very pleasing to notice the clear-cut attitude you have taken in this matter as contrasted with the maudlin sentiment on the one hand and the sanctimonious horror on the other which is usually found in discussions of the moral side of the Army. It goes without saying that the Army which will be stationed at Camp Custer will be no better and no worse than the male citizenry of Michigan and Wisconsin, with the exception of the fact that the male citizenry of these states are not under the civilizing and refining discipline which will be meted out in a very wholesome manner to the troops after they are assembled at this place." And he added: "As you have stated, the material need of the soldier is well met by the military authorities and organizations affiliated therewith, but the writer can assure you, from well-remembered experiences, that the soldier gets very, very homesick in the early part of his military career, and his desire for association with the right sort of people is so great as to almost demand association outside of the environment of his comrades, and this association furnished by the right sort of people will do much toward keeping the soldier from seeking this association, when not furnished, in resorts which are either questionable or wholly immoral."

The first 12,000 trained medical officers of the 24,000 needed this year for the Military Establishment are already in sight, says the New York Medical Journal. The Medical Officers' Reserve Corps now numbers 350 majors, 1,367 captains, and 7,158 first lieutenants. These figures embrace only such men as have formally signified their acceptance of commissions. Several thousand others have qualified, but for some reason have failed to accept proffered commissions. In a majority of cases it is believed that this delay has been caused by a desire to settle private affairs and to secure substitutes to take care of civil practice. As rapidly as shelter is ready, the prospective medical officers will be sent to the training camps at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.; Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., and Fort Riley, Kas. Recently the average number receiving orders to the training camps has been about 200 a day. Moreover, for the training of medical officers and sanitary personnel generally on duty with troops, special courses have been instituted at posts, garrisons, and field encampments, the courses being so arranged that spare time may be devoted to them. A medical detachment has been organized for each National Army cantonment, to which places the detachments will be sent in advance of the troops, in order that preparations may be complete to safeguard the health of the recruits. Only highly trained men will be assigned to troops sent abroad, selections being made from those most fitted for this duty as the contingents prepare to embark from time to time. In addition to the 24,000 medical officers, it is estimated that the medical and sanitary service of the Military Establishment will require some 120,000 enlisted men.

Gen. C. G. Morton, U.S.A., commanding the mobilization camp at Syracuse, N.Y., in a letter to the New York Times writes of the need of music for the military bands at his camp and suggests that if any organization working to help the soldiers wishes to do something that is most useful, it might send the complete parts for a band of good military marches to his camp. He continues: "Every Army band should have a repertoire of marches that can lift men's feet off the ground in cadence. Such marches are not often found. Sousa composed several of them, which are known all over the country, but they are now obsolete, so to speak. 'Onward Christian Soldiers' is such a march, and it is possible that others could be found among the grand old hymns that have been handed down from past centuries. It is also possible and probable that English and French bands are playing new and inspiring marches that are not yet generally known on this side of the water. If those who know what a march is that will cause men to forget fatigue, that will lift their feet in cadence without effort and automatically, that will make them so glad they are in the Army that they can't understand why other eligibles should hesitate to enlist, I would appreciate a copy of such a march, or better, the complete parts for a military band. It would be of little benefit, however, to receive compositions that have not already been thoroughly tried out and found not only good but excellent."

Secretary of War Baker, on behalf of the United States, has requested the French government to send 250 French officers to this country to teach trench warfare to American soldiers. There will be 130 of the French officers assigned to the second series of officers' training camps, which opened Aug. 27, to teach the latest methods of trench warfare to these candidates. The other officers will be distributed in equal numbers to the sixteen National Army cantonments to teach the 687,000 men who will be assembled at the camps within the next six weeks. Colonel Johnston, now in charge of the Officers' Training Camp Section, made the original request for French officers, and War Department officials were so impressed by his request that they decided to ask for officers for the cantonments as well as the training camps, increasing his request for 130 to 250. The foreign officers will not come in direct touch with the American troops. The training will be done entirely by the American officers, who will have the opportunity of consulting with their foreign associates.

Lord Derby, who is in charge of the recruiting service for the British armies, has suggested that the whole system be transferred to a civilian department. He made this recommendation while appearing as a witness before a committee which is inquiring into the conduct of medical examinations under the Military Service Acts in response to a resolution passed by the committee and sent to the Prime Minister urging, in view of the evidence already taken, that a change of system should be made at once, and recommending that the whole organization of recruiting medical boards, and of the medical examinations and re-examinations, should be transferred from the war office to the Local Government Board. Lord Derby said he accepted this resolution absolutely, but he wanted the committee to go very much further, to resolve that "the whole of recruiting from A to Z

shall be taken out of the hands of the war office, and entrusted to a civilian department."

A movement was initiated by the Governors of New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, and Virginia, on Aug. 14, in a conference with Secretary Baker that may result in some definite policy being adopted by the War Department toward new state military units that may replace the National Guard. At the request of Secretary Baker, Governor Edge, of New Jersey, has now incorporated the ideas of the four governors on this subject in a letter he has sent to Mr. Baker. It deals at length with the question of the United States Government aiding the formation of and being responsible for the equipment of the state militia units which are or will be formed in this and other states to replace for state purposes the National Guard, now wholly Federalized. Governor Edge argues that conditions induced by the war make the responsibility of the Government for the arming and care of these units greater than before.

Among the important elements of field training prescribed by Major Gen. Leonard Wood, U.S.A., for the troops of the 89th Division, which he has been ordered to command at Fort Riley, is that of trench work. "Special training for trench warfare," says General Wood, "will be taken up at the earliest practicable moment and pushed forward as rapidly as circumstances permit. This special training will comprise: drill by all units in attack and defense of modern trenches; the use of special weapons, appliances and methods now employed in Europe; construction of trenches, bomb proofs, emplacements, obstacles, mines and other special adaptations of field fortifications used in trench warfare; barrage fire for trench mortars and artillery; observation and transmission of firing data; review of previous instructions. The necessity for training troops at night to ensure thorough co-ordination of units during darkness will not be overlooked."

In the August number of the U.S. Naval Institute Proceedings Lieut. (J.G.) H. H. Frost, U.S.N., writes on "Night Torpedo Operations"; Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, U.S.N., on "Air Power"; Lieut. Comdr. C. S. Kempf, U.S.N., discusses "Ship Handling With Electric Propulsion"; and Paymr. G. P. Dyer, U.S.N., contributes an illustrated article on "An Interesting Storehouse." Another instalment of Rear Admiral Caspar F. Goodrich's documentary history of "Our Navy and the West Indian Pirates" appears and there are three articles by Navy officers on the vital subject of officers' housekeeping afloat, these being "Officers' Messes," by Chief Boatswain Edwin Murphy; "Providing Food for Officers' Messes Aboard Ship," by Paymr. George R. Venable; and "Keeping the Accounts of Officers' Messes," by Paymr. R. H. Brooke.

"Press dispatches announce that out of the 27,308 officers appointed from the first training camps there were two colonels, one lieutenant colonel, and 235 majors," writes a captain of Infantry. "It seems all wrong to put 238 officers with three months training over all captains of the regular Army with fifteen to twenty years training, many of them graduates of all the Service schools. Perhaps most of the present Regular captains will be made majors in the National Army. But even so the commissions of these training camp majors will antedate those of the Regulars. This does not offer much reward for years of hard work."

Lieut. Gen. S. B. M. Young, U.S.A., president of the National Association for Universal Military Training, issued a statement in Washington on Aug. 26, in which he advocated amending the Selective Service Act to effect the creation of a military reserve of youths between nineteen and twenty-one. Such an amendment, General Young states, should provide that none of these reservists be called for actual war duty until twenty-one years old.

Shirt makers of New York and its vicinity will begin work soon on one of the largest orders ever given in the history of the country. The order, which calls for 500,000 dozen shirts for the men of the Army and Navy, means the employment of 10,000 persons from now until Dec. 1, when it must be completed. It is said that the shirtmakers will be paid from \$5 to \$6 a week more on this contract than is usual for military work.

The Marine Corps rifle range at Winthrop, Md., is being worked to its fullest capacity. Hundreds of Marine Corps officers and men are taking weekly the full course of instruction in rifle shooting as applied to modern warfare. More than seventy-three per cent. of the members of the Marine Corps who fired the prescribed course during 1916 are qualified expert riflemen, sharpshooters, or marksmen.

The monthly Sea Power seems to be quite proud of this paragraph which reflects the tone of the leading editorial in the August issue: "On the credit side, after three years of warning and more than 100 days of war, we have not inflicted upon Germany so much as a pin-prick—not a drop of blood nor a pennig of treasure." Sea Power is published in Washington, D.C., and not in Berlin as might be imagined.

The August number of the International Military Digest contains an unusual number of articles on aviation and anti-aircraft artillery; notes on the progress of the European war, and on the new organization of the U.S. Army. As usual these articles are selected with the best of judgment and condensed, when necessary, so that all the essential military information is retained.

The Machine Gun Troop, 14th Cavalry, at Fort Clark, Texas, subscribed \$4,750 for Liberty Bonds. Inquiry is made if there is any record of any other organization of the Regular Army, of approximately the same strength, ninety-one men, subscribing for as much or more. Capt. George E. Lovell, 14th Cal., commands the Machine Gun Troop.

DIGGING OUT TACTICS.

Percival A. Hisslam, the well-known writer on naval subjects, has an interesting article on "Digging-Out Tactics" in the London Magazine, to which Vice-Admiral William S. Sims, U.S.N., commanding the U.S. Naval forces in European waters, very courteously calls our attention. Mr. Hisslam discusses both the pros and cons of the question, whether the Allied navies should risk a grand attack in Germany's naval "funk-holes," and comes to the conclusion that such a risk is unnecessary and would be futile. He says in part:

"To most people it is quite a natural and simple thing to talk about the command of the sea, for they mean by that that one side is able to do more or less as it likes on the high seas, while the other is only able to get its ships there surreptitiously, occasionally, and with the imminent and constant danger of destruction. It will therefore have come as a surprise to many that a number of retired admirals who are dissatisfied with the policy of the Navy School, after flinging mud at the Admiralty for a few weeks, have suddenly fallen out among themselves as to what they really mean by command of the sea."

It is content to state that we have the command if we can send our ships anywhere we like in reasonable confidence of their safe arrival. Another replies that we do not command the sea if there is one chance in a thousand of a ship being sunk; while a third—not a retired admiral this time, but a professor of military history at Oxford University—bluntly tells us that we cannot claim the command of the sea so long as the enemy has an armed ship left! The idea at the back of these statements is that the navy is not doing the right thing so long as it permits the enemy to exist, no matter what the enemy may do for his own preservation.

"Now, there is no doubt about two things. The first is that the British navy is burning to get at close quarters with the enemy, and the second is that with the end of this war the German fleet must be either obliterated or else so restricted that it can never again become a menace to civilization and the peace of the world. But there is another point which we, in our island security, are apt at times to overlook. The British Empire would still be safe from attack and violation if the seemingly impossible should happen and we were to suffer defeat on the continent; but if the navy were to be worsted the Allied cause and the British Empire would topple like a pack of cards."

"What is the moral of this? It is that in spite of its own traditions and instincts, we cannot, for the sake of our cause and of civilization in general, allow the navy to run any unnecessary risks—and by the navy I mean, of course, the battle squadrons which form the backbone of our sea-power, and without which everything else would soon be swept away. And now we have to consider what is an 'unnecessary' risk. We can start out from the position that we want to destroy the German fleet; but it does not follow that it is a necessary condition without which we cannot win the war. The German fleet cannot prevent us from winning this war unless it succeeds in demolishing the British navy. If the Germans like to keep their main fleet in cotton-wool, that is their lookout."

"It is still possible that the enemy will come out and make a straight fight of it. Indeed, now that the U-boat is apparently being got under, we may regard such a contingency as distinctly probable, since it leaves the Germans with no alternative even as a forlorn hope. A fight in the open would settle many vexed questions once and for all; but, if the Germans refuse to give us that opportunity, ought we to make their coasts the frontiers of our fleet and proceed to dig them out?"

"It is a question of balancing the risks against the results to be achieved. The risks are universally admitted to be colossal. Leaving the Baltic out of consideration, the German coast consists of two sides of a triangle lying behind the island of Heligoland, and bounded on the southwest by the island of Borkum and on the northwest by (approximately) the island of Sylt. From Borkum to Heligoland is sixty miles, and from Heligoland to Sylt another fifty; and behind this short and easily defended line are the war ports of Emden, Wilhelmshaven, Bremen, Cuxhaven, and Brunsbüttel, which is the North Sea outlet of the Kiel Canal."

"The whole Bight of Heligoland is thickly mined. The first movement in any 'digging-out' attempt would be to remove the mines, for which purpose we should presumably send in the usual mine-sweepers. The Germans would promptly send out their destroyers to get rid of them; and, as sweepers are not built to fight, we should send in our destroyers to protect them. The Germans would then send light cruisers to deal with our destroyers, whereupon, of course, in go our light cruisers. This game of beggar-my-neighbor would go on until the Germans sent out their battleships—not, be it remembered, out into the open, but only far enough through the mine-fields for their guns to be able to drive off the force detailed to protect our mine-sweepers."

"What do we do to counter the German battleships? Do we send in our own to steam to and fro along the edge of the enemy's mine-field and within fifty miles of his submarine bases? It does not sound very feasible, and I do not imagine there lives a naval officer sufficiently hair-brained to play such a game with the force upon which civilization is depending for the defeat of Germany."

"Suppose the seemingly impossible happened, and that in due course—and after paying the due price—the mine-fields were removed. The next thing is to get at the German fleet and destroy it, and the German fleet, naturally enough, does not want to be destroyed. It therefore remains within the shelter of the coastal fortifications. Those who know the position of our own dockyard at Chatham will be able to form a pretty accurate picture of such German bases as Wilhelmshaven, Bremen, Brunsbüttel, and Kiel. To reach Chatham from the sea you have first to steam up the Thames Estuary as far as the Nore, and from there you have to make your way up the tortuous Medway for some miles. That is the German principle, with the added fact that the whole coast is defended by concealed guns of the most powerful type, and with subterranean and submarine torpedo-stations from which dirigible torpedoes can be launched against any ship in the fairway. Brunsbüttel and the Kiel Canal exit, for instance, lie about 30,000 yards (17 miles) beyond Cuxhaven up the Elbe. The guns of Cuxhaven have a reach of 25,000 yards seaward, and the navigable channel from that place up the river is nowhere more than a thousand yards in width, with every inch of it dominated by heavy guns. One has only to recall the Dardanelles fiasco to imagine within a little what a naval attempt to force the lower reaches of the Elbe would be like. What

does any sane person think would happen if we sent in the Grand Fleet to try a similar maneuver in the Elbe, with the Kiel Canal as its objective instead of Constantinople? Is there the faintest suspicion of a doubt that the expedition would end in the most ignominious failure and the direst disaster? There is certainly nothing whatever in the situation, either ashore or afloat, which would justify us in accepting the terrible sacrifice and the decimation of the fleet that would be involved.

"If there were anything great to be achieved by digging-out the German high sea fleet the task might be attempted. If the U-boats were so near beating us that the destruction of their bases remained the only remedy, then it would be perfectly right and proper for the Grand Fleet to expend itself, if need be, in an attempt to destroy those bases. We know that we can get the better of the submarine without throwing away the Grand Fleet.

"Officers and men in the Grand Fleet are impatient to 'get at' the full naval forces of the kaiser, but so long as those forces cling to shelter, what could our men usefully do? People who think the navy has deteriorated because it isn't always fussing around giving pyrotechnic displays have not taken the trouble to get hold of the rudiments of their own history. Our last war with France stretched, with a brief interval, from 1793 to 1815, and in those twenty-two years only three big naval engagements were fought with the French. The idea that sea-power is a battering force is false. You can choke the life out of Germany with the strangle-hold, but you cannot punch it out of her by foolishly trying to bombard the Kiel Canal."

COURT OPINION ON THE DRAFT.

The right of a member of the National Guard to refuse to be mustered into the military forces of the United States under the draft order of July 10, 1917, and the military status of an alien who has enlisted in the Guard under false representations as to his age and nationality, are the subjects of a decision given by Judge D. C. Westenhaver, in the United States District Court, in Cleveland, Ohio, on Aug. 15, in which the opinion is given that the first contention is without foundation and the second is gone into at length with admirable clearness as to the issues involved and the results determined. The case concerned one John Hackenberg, an Austrian subject, who came to this country in June, 1914, and has not, as yet, made any declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States. He enlisted in the 8th Regiment, Ohio N.G., in June, 1915, declaring himself to be a citizen of the United States and twenty-one years old. When his regiment responded to the mobilization order of June 19, 1916, he took the so-called "dual oath." He was mustered out of the Federal service, March 2, 1917, but reported for duty, when his regiment assembled in response to the draft order on July 10, last. On July 30, he was placed under arrest and on Aug. 3 formal charges were preferred against him for violating the laws of the United States and the Articles of War, particularly the 54th Article relating to fraudulent enlistment. He was brought before Judge Westenhaver on a writ of habeas corpus.

The evidence shows that Hackenberg was eighteen years and five months old when he first enlisted and one of his contentions for refusing to enlist or to be mustered into the service under the President's draft order of July 10, is that he has a widowed mother to support, it also being contended that as he is under twenty-one and is an alien he cannot be compelled to enlist or be mustered into the service. His mother did not arrive in this country until August, 1916.

Judge Westenhaver points out "it is settled law that if a military tribunal has jurisdiction to try a person charged with an offense against military law the civil courts cannot interfere with a writ of habeas corpus," and that "the primary and controlling question is: was or is John Hackenberg an enlisted man, occupying and enjoying that status with all its burdens and obligations." He decides this in the affirmative since the facts regarding his enlistment and service noted above, together with the fact that he received "pay and clothing over a long period from the state and Nation, makes him a soldier subject to the jurisdiction of a military tribunal for any offense committed against military law. The opinion points out, in support of this decision, that "a minor who enlists without the written consent of a parent or guardian . . . becomes a soldier." And the arrival of Hackenberg's mother in this country at a later date does not affect this matter. Furthermore, the National Defense Act, which permits the enlistment of minors over the age of eighteen years without the written consent of the parent or guardian, was in force when Hackenberg took the Federal enlistment oath. And, the opinion states, both Hackenberg and his mother have acquiesced in his continuing in the Service, thus permitting him to draw the pay and emoluments of a soldier.

Taking up Hackenberg's contention that he cannot be forced to enlist for the reason that he is an alien, the opinion states that "an alien who offers to enlist and is accepted as a soldier cannot avoid his contract of enlistment and thereby escape liability either to service or punishment." An alien who has not made a legal declaration of his intention to become a citizen is not obliged to enlist nor is he, under the provisions of the Act of May 13, 1917, subject to the selective draft. He cannot be compelled or coerced to enlist for or perform military service under present law.

The claim that Hackenberg has now a right to refuse to be mustered into the military forces of the United States under the draft order of July 10, 1917, and that until he does consent so to be mustered in he does not occupy the status of a soldier and is not to be dealt with according to military law "is without foundation." The Court sets forth how the National Defense Act defines what the National Guard consists of and repeats the former evidence of Hackenberg's voluntary enlistment, subscription to the dual oath, and taking the pay and allowances of a soldier for nearly a year. It also states the provisions of the Act which gives the President power to call out the National Guard and "by no more formality than a draft order make all the men of the Guard soldiers of the United States Army," to which is added the power given the President under the Selective Service law to draft all members of the National Guard. And his draft order "made pursuant to the authority of these two acts, constitutes John Hackenberg a soldier in the United States Army." The opinion cites the historic case of *Huston vs. Moore* as to give added weight to its argument. The claim that Hackenberg has a mother dependent on him does not make void his contract of

enlistment, since "dependency of relatives is not made a ground of disability to enlistment." It is recognized by the Selective Service law as "a ground upon which the President may exclude or discharge at his discretion those in a status with respect to persons dependent upon them for support, which renders their exclusion or discharge advisable." But this "is not a matter of which the courts can take judicial cognizance."

AVIATION SECTION, SIGNAL CORPS.

The number of queries regarding the qualifications demanded of applicants for the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, indicates that there is widespread ignorance on this point. Special Regulations No. 50, issued by the War Department in April, gives in detail all necessary information in connection with the section. We reprint below essential excerpts from these regulations, a copy of which can be obtained from the office of the Chief Signal Officer, War Department, Washington, D.C.

An applicant for the Aviation Section, Signal Officers' Reserve Corps, must be a male citizen of the United States, not under nineteen or over thirty years of age (maximum age limit may be waived in special cases); he must submit his application in prescribed form and undergo the required examination. In mental subjects the equivalent of a college education is required and the physical requirements are the same as for officers in the Regular Army. Flying ability will be given first consideration. No applicant for a commission as an officer of the Aviation Section will be considered proficient until he is able to pass the flying test for Reserve military aviator, unless specially excepted. Candidates for commissions in the aerostatic division must be experienced balloon pilots and qualified as such according to the standard fixed by the International Aeronautical Federation.

Aviation or Balloon Students.—In order to qualify for examination as officers, especially qualified citizens of the U.S., not under twenty-one nor over thirty years, who desire to become flyers will be assisted by the U.S. as follows: Shall make application to the Adjutant General, who, if the applicant is considered desirable, will cause such applicant to be examined as to physical, mental, and moral qualifications; Physical test same as for officers of the Regular Army for aviation duty. The applicant must have the equivalent of a college education and produce evidence of his reliability and good habits. Qualifications for enlistment direct into each of these grades are as follows:

Master Signal Electricians.—The candidate must have a practical knowledge of gasoline motors, magnetos, carburetors, telegraph, and a fair knowledge of the principles of electricity and photography or airplanes and balloons.

Sergeants, First-Class.—Working knowledge of gasoline motors, magnetos, carburetors, and a fair knowledge of the principles of metal working.

Sergeants and Corporals.—General knowledge of the subjects for first-class sergeants.

Privates, First-Class.—Applicants must show an interest in the subjects mentioned, be competent, keen, and of a sufficiently high order of intelligence to insure that they will develop along the proper lines in training.

Privates.—Physical, mental, and moral qualifications necessary for enlistment in the Regular Army.

The civilian aeronautical schools will be those approved by the War Department as to instructors, equipment, and character of instruction to be given. Each school will be given a certain compensation for instruction of each aviation student who qualifies for the preliminary flying test, and for each student who graduates a reserve military aviator an additional sum. Upon qualification in the preliminary flying test a student may, at the option of the War Department, be transferred to a Government school for advanced training or be permitted to complete his training at the civilian school. Schools must have adequate facilities and instruction, which are prescribed.

Preliminary flying tests are described in detail. If the test is passed satisfactorily and a candidate qualifies in other respects he will be eligible for further instruction to qualify as a reserve military aviator. If he also passes the test satisfactorily, he will be given a commission in the Aviation Section, Signal Officers' Reserve Corps, provided all other qualifications are fulfilled.

All candidates for the Aviation Section, S.O.R.C., will be required to pass the prescribed physical examination, must weigh not more than 190 pounds, stripped, must furnish evidence of having a college education or its equivalent, and be of good moral character. Applicants for commissions as Reserve officers who hold the pilot certificate of the International Aeronautical Federation may, after prescribed examinations, be given a preliminary flying test and if competent may also take the reserve military aviator's test.

Balloon Schools.—Special Requirements.—Compensation, tests and examinations are prescribed, similar to those for aviation schools. Candidates who desire training in military ballooning should submit their applications in the same manner as other candidates for reserve commissions, expressing preference for the aerostatic service. The physical, moral, and educational requirements are the same as for aviation duty. The course of technical balloon training will require about four months.

Officers and enlisted men of the National Guard in Federal Service desiring a course of aeronautical training will make application through their commanding officer to The Adjutant General of the Army. Blank forms of application will be furnished upon request to The Adjutant General of the Army.

NAVY RIFLE RANGE AT WAKEFIELD.

The Navy Department has rented from the Bay State Military Rifle Association the rifle range at Wakefield, Mass., for the period of the war. The range is now in full operation and will be intensively used for the instruction of men on the ships at the Boston Navy Yard, and the men of the Navy and Marine Corps at the training stations and instruction camps near Boston, Newport and Portsmouth. There recently arrived at the range a company of 125 men from the Naval Training Station at Great Lakes. This company is composed entirely of students of the University of Michigan; their officers, Lieut. E. A. Harrington, Lieut. J. R. Hayden and Ensign A. H. Jenkins, are former professors and instructors at the university. Lieutenant Harrington will be in command of the range. This company have been the coaches and instructors at Great Lakes, where they were trained under Major William C. Harlee, U.S.M.C., assistant director of gunnery exercises in the Navy Department and in charge of the rifle practice of the Navy. He has

the task of opening up rifle ranges for the use of the Navy and Marine Corps in all the Naval Districts on the Eastern Coast and is temporarily at Wakefield. Major Harlee has been in charge of the matches of the New England Rifle Association held at Wakefield for several years and is well known to the riflemen of New England.

The Navy style of operating the range is to have a coach or instructor for every man shooting, and on Saturday afternoons rifle club members will find expert instructors, rifles and all paraphernalia except ammunition, without charge. The Bay State Rifle Association will furnish ammunition at cost. Major J. M. Portal, who is in charge of the Wakefield range, has persuaded the Navy Department to open the range to the rifle clubs on Saturday afternoons and Sundays. Gen. Walter C. Lombard, president of the Navy New England Rifle Association, is now making plans to hold the regular annual New England matches.

Wakefield will become the principal Navy Range in the country. Instructing and Operating Detachments will be trained there and sent to the ranges which the Navy is building or has secured at Cape May, Virginia Beach, Charleston, S. C., and other places. One hundred young men enrolled in the Naval Reserves will be trained as range instructors for the Wakefield and other ranges.

REPORT ON MARE ISLAND EXPLOSION.

The Navy Department issued a memorandum on Aug. 25, giving a summary of the report on the Mare Island Navy Yard explosion of July 9. It states that the Department is in receipt of the record of proceedings of a board convened at Mare Island, Cal., to report upon the explosion of a black-powder magazine at that station.

The record contains the testimony of 179 witnesses and has attached to it twenty-seven separate exhibits submitted in evidence. The memorandum adds:

"A careful reading of the orders creating this board and the record of daily proceedings clearly indicates the absence of any hampering instructions or restrictive direction as to the method of investigation. The board's inquiry was conducted with the utmost latitude and thoroughness."

The board found that the explosion occurred at 7:55 a.m., July 9, 1917, and was confined to building No. 40, known as the black-powder magazine, a modern structure built especially for black-powder storage. There were no electric lines into the building; no telephones or telephone wires; no windows or other openings, with the exception of the regulation magazine doors. Under the existing rules and regulations access to this building was restricted to comparatively few authorized persons.

The only person seen to enter this building on the morning of the explosion was Ordnance Man Neil C. Damstedt, a trusted employee of twenty-one years' continuous magazine service. Damstedt, according to the testimony unlocked and opened the magazine door about thirty seconds previous to the explosion and was probably in the act of entering the building when the explosion occurred. Damstedt was killed.

The board states that it is of the opinion that Damstedt was in no way implicated in the explosion and that the testimony and attending circumstances do not in any way implicate any ammunition depot employee or any member of the ammunition depot guard.

The board is of the unanimous opinion that the explosion was not an accident, but was due to the deliberate act of some person or persons unknown. The board, however, was unable to form an opinion as to the exact method employed by the party or parties guilty of having destroyed this magazine; such evidence, if any existed, was destroyed in the explosion.

The department and its experts are engaged in a thorough review and analysis of all available evidence in this case. Every effort is being made to apprehend the guilty parties and to definitely ascertain the exact manner in which this destructive explosion was accomplished. For obvious reasons the detail of procedure cannot be made public.

The memorandum is signed: "Kearney, Ordnance; Ellis, Navigation; Watts, Judge Advocate General."

The Navy Department made public at the same time the following telegram from Comdr. Mark St. C. Ellis, U.S.N., inspector of ordnance at Mare Island, Cal., to Rear Admiral Earle, Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance:

"The public statements that investigation was blocked by labor here are not true. Such imputations slander the brave and heroic labor men here who risked their lives to save this plant in successfully fighting the fire. The board of investigation was not hampered by the laboring men, but was assisted by every employee here wholeheartedly."

QUARTERS ON FIELD DUTY.

That commutation of quarters for officers on duty in the field is not provided for—which when the field duty acquires a practical permanency, extending over a considerable period, is certainly a hardship and injustice—is brought home to the officers of the 6th Massachusetts Infantry on guard duty in their home state through a recent decision of the Comptroller. He declares such officers are not entitled to commutation of quarters while on field duty, the fact that "the officers failed to receive an allowance of tentage and camp equipage" being "an incident of service." The facts in the case were that the various units of the regiment were doing guard duty at places, "so widely separated," their commanding officer states, "that it is not possible to establish a camp" and "tentege for same has not been available." The result of this was that officers had to make their own provisions for quarters or the various corporations whose plants were being guarded by the troops had to furnish shelters. The Comptroller states: "It has long been the well established rule that officers on field service do not acquire a right to commutation of quarters while on and by reason of such service," and that he does not think "that the Act of March 4, 1915, changes this rule." He gives the additional reason for not approving this allowance that: "It is evident the officers of the 6th Massachusetts Infantry are not temporarily absent in the field," since "they have, under their orders, no station other than a station in the field."

In connection with this case it is to be noted, however, that the commanding officer of the regiment is quoted as saying that the units of his command were "so

widely separated that it is not possible to establish a camp." The hundreds of small detachments of New York National Guard troops had no difficulty in establishing shelters although scattered over that state from New York city nearly to Buffalo. The commanding officer is also quoted as stating that the tentage for his troops was not available. The military world has a recent shining example of an officer who refused to bow to like adverse conditions in the case of Major Carter, of the British army's medical service, who served in the first Mesopotamian campaign. He is the one figure that emerges with glory from that campaign; and he achieved this end by insisting on getting supplies for the sick and wounded men with such persistency that he was threatened with discharge even by the highest officer of the Indian army. It is a part of the record of that disastrous campaign that Major Carter got all the supplies it was humanly possible for one energetic and persistent officer to "bully out" of headquarters.

GRADUATING CLASS AT WEST POINT.

GRADUATION STANDING.

The graduation standing of the First Class at the United States Military Academy—the Class of 1918—which is graduated on Aug. 30, 1917, nearly a year ahead of its normal graduation date—was announced on Aug. 25, by order of Col. Samuel E. Tillman, U.S.A., Superintendent, as follows:

First Class arranged according to General Merit, Aug. 22, 1917:

Maximum	1902.00	78 Carson	1555.83
1 Courture	1793.69	79 Bingham	1553.85
2 Pohl	1773.74	80 Bartley, C. O.	1553.85
3 Counts	1756.89	81 Garity	1553.37
4 Ely, H. B.	1745.62	82 Reyes	1547.28
5 Moore, K. M.	1729.31	83 Jeddlicka	1545.95
6 Harris, C. D.	1726.75	84 Graham, R. M.	1544.13
7 Levy	1726.09	85 Conner	1543.61
8 Stamps	1726.09	86 Saunders, J. B.	1542.21
9 Harlow	1724.71	87 Custis	1538.32
10 Wood, T. E.	1718.12	88 Whitelegg	1538.02
11 Wardrop	1717.77	89 Durfee, L. V.	1537.93
12 Piper	1710.81	90 Norton	1537.81
13 Troiland	1706.84	91 Paca	1536.87
14 Griffith, L. M.	1701.52	92 O'Keefe	1532.05
15 Johnson, J. M.	1700.44	93 Rose	1531.41
16 Cohen	1699.59	94 Darrachmidt	1528.73
17 Reeder	1697.81	95 Bissell	1523.80
18 Kolb	1695.89	96 Davis, M. W.	1524.14
19 Gerhardt, W. R.	1695.04	97 Bellinger, J. B.	1523.28
20 Jank	1691.02	98 Mahoney, C. A.	1519.06
21 Buechler	1691.00	99 Eyster	1516.83
22 Wagner	1687.93	100 Anderson, H. R.	1515.30
23 Tibbitts	1684.31	101 Chapman, W. M.	1513.26
24 Kingsdorf	1683.07	102 Murray, K. P.	1512.66
25 Korman	1674.50	103 Stenbridge	1512.48
26 Day	1668.65	104 McNeill	1512.17
27 Puth	1666.11	105 Anderson, G. H.	1512.11
28 Meredith	1662.41	106 Moore, B. E.	1511.85
29 Wilson, W. I.	1661.42	107 Warner, L. V.	1511.12
30 Conroy	1656.74	108 Deas	1510.11
31 Knight, J. T.	1656.52	109 Bobrink	1509.70
32 Barber	1654.37	110 Rolfe	1508.48
33 Cowles	1648.20	111 Freeman, L. A.	1506.28
34 Jones, L. M.	1646.82	112 Gantt	1504.72
35 Heiner	1645.71	113 Matlack	1502.22
36 Hirsch	1642.26	114 Schaefer, J. E.	1502.00
37 Shaffer	1639.71	115 Schmidt	1499.62
38 Wolf, E. J.	1637.96	116 Lewis, P. W.	1498.93
39 Deebie	1637.79	117 Timberlake	1498.26
40 Reed	1635.35	118 Taylor, V. N.	1497.96
41 Coffey	1630.66	119 Hanna	1497.94
42 Mcade	1629.86	120 Fleming	1494.08
43 Dwight	1627.60	121 Cole, P. W.	1494.02
44 Brown, E. T.	1626.36	122 Simpson	1490.10
45 Woodbury	1624.53	123 Barnes, H. C.	1486.72
46 Willard, R. A.	1621.82	124 Hoffman, R. J.	1485.05
47 Morgenthaler	1615.35	125 Woodward, C. W.	1479.94
48 Hall	1613.54	126 Mallory	1479.74
49 Dickson, T. O.	1604.15	127 Sharp	1478.99
50 Hasbrouck	1603.98	128 Barrett	1470.66
51 Faust	1602.87	129 Goode	1470.20
52 de Camp	1597.20	130 Rising	1470.20
53 Collins, W. D.	1594.82	131 Wilson, J. B.	1463.25
54 Huff	1594.51	132 Demuth	1463.10
55 Donaldson, W. H.	1593.87	133 Riling, L. M.	1461.43
56 McGregor	1593.74	134 Mailing	1457.48
57 Heavey, T. J.	1593.51	135 Watts	1457.31
58 Black, H. M.	1592.99	136 Krause	1456.90
59 Safford	1588.58	137 Bacon	1453.85
60 Murphy, W. D.	1587.44	138 White, W. G.	1453.78
61 Palmer, C. B.	1587.27	139 Sarcka	1447.92
62 Hawkins, J. C.	1587.16	140 Bell, J. T.	1447.61
63 Stansell	1585.39	141 House	1447.55
64 Erwin, J. M.	1584.08	142 Purvis	1444.41
65 Ventura, S. y.	1580.60	143 Hea	1442.15
66 Wmson, R. E. S.	1580.31	144 Mooman	1439.12
67 Schlenker	1580.31	145 Long	1432.75
68 Wood, H. F.	1580.13	146 Wilson, C. B.	1426.90
69 Knob	1576.00	147 Whittington	1424.81
70 Symmonds, R. E.	1571.66	148 Milan	1423.13
71 Diehl	1571.27	149 Bringham	1418.88
72 Delehanty	1569.71	150 Harding	1398.21
73 Carwell	1568.61	151 Billings	1397.99
74 Reinburg	1568.38	152 Place	1367.43
75 Almqvist	1564.20		
76 Carr	1558.74		
77 Bertholet	1558.34		

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CALL FOR SIGNAL CORPS OFFICERS.

Brig. Gen. George O. Squier, Chief Signal Officer, U.S.A., issued on Aug. 24, a call for officers, or candidates for officers' commissions, in the Aviation Section of the Signal Officers' Reserve Corps. It is desired to obtain applications from all Reserve Corps officers who have finished the special course of instruction at Fort Monroe, Va., or at Fort Sill, Okla., and from enlisted men or civilians who are expert photographers, radio operators or machine gun operators for service in the Aviation Section, as observers from airplanes. The preferable age is from twenty-five to thirty-five. A good education, fine physical condition, keen eyesight and ability to judge distances accurately are essential. Previous military experience is very desirable. It is the intention to assign successful candidates to a school for a period of instruction of two months. This course will cover study of fire from airplanes, reconnaissance, photography, radio and bomb dropping.

Candidates who desire to make application should writ to the Aera Personnel Division, Chief Signal Officer of the Army, War Department, Washington, who will furnish them the necessary information and blanks for making application to take examination. Candidates who complete the course successfully will be commissioned in the Signal Corps and will be eligible to promotion. Twenty-five per cent. additional pay is

authorized for all officers who are on duty requiring frequent and regular aerial flights.

PROGRESS IN AIRCRAFT BUILDING.

Tests of the first of the standardized United States airplane motors designed and built under direction of the Aircraft Production Board have been highly satisfactory, it is learned, although details of the design and performance of the engines are withheld. Probably three distinct types of Service craft for the Army will be turned out. They will be the small, swift fighting machines; daylight bombing machines, slower, but still fast enough to minimize the danger from anti-aircraft guns, and big enough to carry observers, photographic outfits, radio, and bombs, in addition to their guns; and the still slower night bombing machines, in which carrying capacity is increased at the expense of speed, because darkness protects them from gunfire. The United States motor, it is understood, was not designed primarily for speed. Durability and reliability, coordinated with a high ratio of power for each pound of engine weight, was the object.

A DEFENSE OF THE COLORED SOLDIER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL:

Why is it that every time the colored soldiers are involved in a riot it occurs almost without exception in Texas? There must be some underlying reason for such occurrences. The writer was stationed in Texas when the "Brownsville Affair" took place, both before and after. Before the 25th Infantry arrived for duty at Fort Brown, one of the "Old Time Texans," a man who had served as a deputy marshal for nearly thirty years on the border, told me that there would be trouble if the colored troops were ordered to any place in Texas. He further stated: "I do not object to them myself but there are several hundred or thousands who do not want them and who will get them out of the state if possible." This was the statement from a man who knew Texas and the border as very few white men knew it. He was also the best judge of human nature that I have ever seen.

Why do such affairs happen in other states? Ask the people of Oswego, Syracuse, and Watertown, New York, Spokane, Washington, Fort Riley, Fort Leavenworth, West Point, etc., etc., why they want the colored troops to return again.

Are the white people so vastly different in the different parts of the United States that actions of the colored troops are so vastly changed when they move? There must be some reason explaining why it always happens in Texas.

The colored soldier is as fine a soldier as the United States Army can furnish and the records of the colored regiments are worthy of as much praise as any military organization in any army in the world. Look at their records in Cuba, the Philippines, Mexico and even as far back as the Civil War. What regiments can boast of more gallantry, loyalty, faithfulness and real patriotism? Ask any officer who has served with the colored troops what his opinion of them is and if he wants to get back to them again. I can without hesitation state that they will all give you the same answer and that is "The best ever" and "You bet your life." The writer has served with the 24th Infantry on several different occasions and can unhesitatingly state that there never were more loyal, obedient, hardworking and willing soldiers anywhere in the Army.

One day on the train, the writer overheard several men discussing a "raid and riot" (?) by the 24th Infantry at El Paso, Texas, some months before. He heard such remarks as "They are a worthless bunch"; "They should be cleared out of our Army"; "If I had my way I would have Congress abolish all 'nigger' regiments," and more on the same line. The writer stood it as long as he could and then joined in with something like this: "Pardon me for interrupting your talk, but you must admit the colored soldiers were at least men when they enlisted and are therefore entitled to some consideration. You have made the statement that the colored soldiers are no good. Have any of you ever served with or seen them on duty? Do you know that the records of the colored soldiers are as fine as the white soldiers from the beginning of the Civil War to the present date? These men were patriotic enough to offer their services to their country with all possibility of being killed in action. Did any of you apply for enlistment when your country called for men?" The writer also informed them that he was an Army officer and had served with the colored troops and based his statements on actual experience. All but one fellow admitted that they had not understood the colored troops as they really were. The only way to really know the colored soldier in his true light is to serve with him.

The writer has nothing against the State of Texas and has many friends there, but feels that there must be something wrong with that section of the country when soldiers wearing the uniform of the Army are handed the line of treatment they get there merely because they happen to be black. Aside from the man, the uniform he wears is entitled to respect. Every colored man that holds up his right hand and takes the oath to serve his country deserves just treatment as much as a white man. If the civilian wants to see a real soldier he is invited to inspect any of the old time sergeants of the colored regiments. He has the same feelings as any white man, the same sense of honor, and the same pride in his country.

You will never find trouble with the colored soldiers except where some superior white person tries to show his contempt for anything black. The writer is a white man, an Army officer, and one who has served and traveled many times in the South and knows existing local conditions. The class of colored men that join the Army is vastly different from the class that cause all the racial disturbances throughout the South. The colored soldiers are men of higher intellect and aspiration. They have to be, to be allowed to enlist. They constitute, in the opinion of the writer, the pick of the colored young men of this country who have been from financial reasons unable to attend any of the colored colleges; and many are graduates from the leading schools and colleges in their home states. It cannot be denied that there are some black sheep in every flock, but it is absolutely sure that the colored soldiers are not all black sheep. There are thousands of instances that could be mentioned showing the absolute loyalty of the colored troops in peace and war. Colored soldiers have given their lives for their officers and other white men. The instance in the fight of the 10th U.S. Cavalry in Mexico during the last Pershing Expedition. Three enlisted men refused to leave Captain Morey after he had been wounded and when they

did go it was because he had ordered them to do so. That is merely one instance out of a great many. This is not intended to "put" the colored soldiers at this time. They do not need it. Their record stands as an example of efficiency and is a model that should receive the praise and not censure of every white citizen of the United States.

I can state with pride that I am a white officer who has served with the colored soldiers.

INFANTRY CAPTAIN.

PROGRESS OF THE WAR IN EUROPE.

(Summarized from reports Aug. 24-30.)

FURTHER ALLIED GAINS IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM.

Of the three Allied offensives under way last week on the Western front, two, those before Ypres and north of Verdun, have resulted in farther gains, while the third, directed against Lens, is held in check for the moment at the western edge of the city. The operations of the week on all three attacking fronts bore the character of a sequel to those of the week preceding, in that the Allies sought by localized offensives to round out the sum of their objective rather than by a new disposal of their artillery and shock troops, to obtain any new series of positions. The weather again broke in Flanders, but less inauspiciously on this occasion than in the case of the drive in the opening days of August, when the downpour on the ill-drained terrain checked the British infantry and robbed them of part of the fruits of their artillery preparation. On the present occasion, the storm occurred only after the main objectives north of Ypres had been gained, and militated less against the attacking side than against the Germans' efforts to beat back their adversaries from the newly won front.

At Ypres, the French on the Steenbeke remained inactive throughout the week, immobilized by the flooding of the land adjoining the course of the stream. The British, on the right of the French contingent, developed on the 23d and 26th-28th a series of local attacks on their front east of the St. Julien-Langemark line. From St. Julien they moved northeastward on the 27th on both sides of the road leading to Poelcapelle village, and London reported on the following day that they had captured the two redoubts known as the Springfield and Vancouver farms. The strongly defended German front immediately to the south, between the routes from Ypres to Roulers and to Menin they did not again attempt, apparently feeling the need of a further artillery preparation in that quarter. South of the Menin road, however, they advanced on the 27th east of Oostverne, possibly reconnoitering with a view to further efforts in that direction. German counter-attacks, although sustained near Langemark, failed to develop the superiority necessary to regain that village.

Before Lens, the Canadians, pressing in upon the western edge of the city, gained possession on Aug. 22 of a great slag heap covering the approach to the central railway station, and known as the Crassier Vert. The storming of this hillock, while a detail operation, was notable as a feat of arms, as it involved the traversing of an area partly inundated from the overflow of a neighboring canal and a bayonet fight with a party of defenders. After taking the hillock of slag with great spirit, the Canadians were unable to hold it against a series of counter-attacks. They were driven from the crest after holding it for a day. Elsewhere on the Lens front the defense remained largely passive, renewing its attempts to retake the positions on the northern face only once on the 27th.

The French on the Verdun north front followed up their attacks of Aug. 20-23, with a series of thoroughly successful local assaults which the enemy was apparently too weak to attempt seriously to repel. At a series of points along a ten-mile front bisected by the Meuse river they forced their way northward, organizing positions that the Germans had wrested from them in the first days of the Verdun offensive of 1916. On the west bank of the Meuse they attained by Aug. 27 a front running from Avocourt northeastward to the south bank of the Forges brook, touching Bethin Court at the southern outskirts and continuing to the river along the southern slope of the Côte de l'Oie, still in German hands. Most important of their gains here was the capture of Hill 304, regarded as the most valuable of the Germans' positions on the west bank. On the eastern half of the front, they took a series of woods immediately south of the village of Beaumont. Their advance thus was made to attain a depth of two miles maximum beyond their position at the outset of the advance.

The German counter-attacks, save at Lens, had little effect. At Verdun they were particularly inadequate, although carried out on several occasions. The depth of the advance carried the French front beyond the effective battling range of the French guns, and made necessary an early bringing forward of the guns. Although Berlin claimed successes on the Verdun front it was plain from Berlin statements that the Germans had been unable to recapture any considerable part of the lost area. The passage of a second week accentuated the failure of the Crown Prince to pursue the method of counter-attacking which the partial abandonment of the trench defense in the face of overwhelming artillery has made necessary. The addition of some 1,500 prisoners to the total of French captures during the offensive brought that number up to about 9,000.

We alluded in the preceding issue to the abandonment of trench defense for a system of scattered machine-gun ambushes and redoubts. The fact that this change has come about has an important bearing on the future type of warfare to be prosecuted on the western front. The trench warfare, inaugurated by the Germans in the autumn of 1914 has virtually immobilized the forces up to the present time. In this respect it has given results on the whole satisfactory to the Germans, despite its working unfavorably to them in their great Verdun offensive of 1916. Now that they are put more distinctly on the defensive than at any previous period in the war, they cannot be supposed to have abandoned or modified their trench tactics for any reason save the compulsion brought on them partly by an overwhelming adverse artillery fire that rendered the trench defense useless, and partly, according to some critics, by the growing inadequacy of German numbers to man some 450 miles of front trench. The military critic of the Paris Journal in a recent article points out that by abandoning the trench tactics for the machine-gun defensive area the Germans have facilitated rather than retarded their adversaries' progress, and adds that the system of counter-attacks with the increased bodies of reserves, by which the defense was to have restored its front wherever broken in, has failed to make good. The future will shortly show to what extent the operations can be made to take on a more rapid and mobile character with the abandonment

of the long successful German means for insuring fixity of front.

At various points, again, the Germans have endeavored by attacks to divert the Allied forces from their purposes. Notably about La Bassée and Laventie, south of the Arras area, they repeatedly tried to damage the front held by the Portuguese contingent. According to news dispatch from Lisbon some 45,000 Portuguese are now operating in France. The chance to break so extensive a front as that occupied by so many troops, of uncertain quality offered obvious inducements to the German command, but its efforts have thus far yielded no results. On the Aisne front the attacks upon the French lines are prosecuted with increasing intervals and diminishing force. Elsewhere the German attempts have amounted to no more than raids.

ITALIAN PROGRESS CONTINUES.

Cadorna's troops on the Italian east front scored the chief success to date in their present offensive this week with the capture of Monte Santo. This height, situated on the east bank of the Isonzo river, a few miles north of Gorizia, has been regarded by the Italians as the key position to the east-and-west barrier of mountains which shut off the Italians in Gorizia from the territory north of them and from a junction with the more northerly Italian force operating over the Isonzo. It was strongly fortified and had resisted a determined frontal attack earlier in the year. The operation resulting in its fall was a turning movement, by which the Italians to the north, pressing eastward from the Isonzo, threatened it from the rear and forced its evacuation.

The troops of the 2d Army, under General Capello, after bridging and crossing the Isonzo last week, moved boldly forward from Anfovo. On the 23d, swerving about the northern base of the mountain they approached its eastern side, while at the same time during an Austrian force back before them on the western portion of the Bainsizza plateau. Finding their rear thus threatened the Austrians occupying Monte Santo withdrew on the 24th, and the height for which costly efforts had previously been made in vain fell with little if any resistance. The Italian second army immediately pressed on eastward with its main force, leaving its right wing to occupy the captured mountain and co-operate against Monte San Gabriele, the next height in the chain. It engaged the Austrians on the Bainsizza plateau, and, in spite of the Italians' heavy field artillery not having had time to enter into new placements the Austrians were dislodged, according to Rome's report, and thrown backward toward the plateau's eastern edge. On the 25th and 26th the Austrians, according to Rome, fell back slowly, fighting a series of delaying rear guard actions and reaching what was described as a prepared defensive line. On Aug. 28, after a day's interval the Italians began their attack upon this line, intending to break it and drive the Austrians from the plateau into the rougher country eastward. The lack of roads at their rear put the Italians to a disadvantage for want of transportation for the army trains. They made some gain, nevertheless, by using captured Austrian supplies of which many had been in their hands.

On the front immediately about Gorizia the Italians limited their offensives to a few local attacks. On the Carso plateau, between Gorizia and the sea, on the other hand, the Italian third army continued to press the enemy. They made no farther gain, but put their adversaries on the defensive and achieved the purposes of a holding attack.

Dispatches on Aug. 30 stated that the Italian second army had captured the greater part of the Monte San Gabriele defenses, and was throwing the bulk of its reserve forces northward in a movement up the Isonzo against Tolmino, on the left, or opposite Italian flank. At the same time the third army pressed its center eastward in the endeavor to rush the Austrians from their prepared line on the plateau and gain the Chiapovano valley.

RUSSIAN AND RUMANIAN THEATERS OF WAR.

The Teuton forces in the Baltic coast region have failed to prosecute the success gained last week, when the Russians opposing them retired under a cannonade without awaiting attack in the region of the An river. The difficulties attending a passage of the Tirul marshes, which stand in the way of an advance to Riga, suffice to account for the failure, and may retard the movement on Riga until the winter freezing renders the area readily passable. Taking advantage of the ever-sinking morale of their opponents the Teutons delivered a large number of small attacks during the week at many and widely separated points, notably on the Dvina river, in the Pripet marshes and east of Czernovitz. At points they were able to shake the opposing troops and induce retirements without heavy fighting. Whether this resumption of aggressive methods is intended to prepare the way for an actual new offensive or simply to increase the demoralization among the Russian troops, and to affect political conditions in Russia cannot be determined at present.

In Rumania the Germans and Austrians failed during most of the week to make progress against the Rumanian forces defending the area west of the River Sereth. On the other hand, singling out a portion of this front held by a Russian division, they attacked it at the village of Muncheliu, and caused it to flee in disorder, abandoning its position and placing the adjoining parts of the front in some peril. In consequence of this success, mainly, the Mackensen forces took some 1,600 prisoners in the Oltuz and Sachitza valley and took the village of Munteliu.

MACEDONIA, TURKEY.

The difficulties of the occupation of Albania are indicated in an Italian official mention of an encounter which took place on Aug. 21 on the right bank of the middle course of the Voyusa river. The Italians killed or took prisoners, it is reported, the whole of an enemy party. Despite their success on this occasion it is plain that the occupation of the district is by no means peaceful.

On the Serbian front quiet prevailed with no indications coming out of any Allied offensive in contemplation, however widespread might be the efforts on the French and Italian fronts. Only minor fighting occurred in Asia Minor.

The dinner given in honor of Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, commanding the N.Y.N.G., and his staff at the Hotel Biltmore, New York city, on Aug. 28, by prominent citizens, was a highly enjoyable event. Mr. William Courtleigh, the Shepherd of the Lambs Club, presided. Mayor Mitchell paid a tribute to General O'Ryan, and his staff, and to the National Guard of the state, and its former commanders. General O'Ryan during his response to the remarks of the mayor, said: "We have a fine body of men; many of them are experienced and disciplined soldiers. Our officers are experienced and the team work is excellent. But we have

many recruits, and until these men are disciplined and made dependable they are in a measure a source of weakness. They are, however, such extraordinary material that with the assistance of the elder men they should make rapid progress. This will prove particularly true if it is our good fortune to have our training largely in France. We have no predictions to make in relation to the accomplishment of the division, but we do promise to you to try at all times and at all places to conduct ourselves like American soldiers. I do not think we are afraid to die; but, if we have to, we are going to do our best to have the other fellows do some dying, too."

NOTES OF THE WAR.

Three hundred interned Germans of the crews of the German cruiser Geier and the German naval collier Lucksun, have been ordered transported from Honolulu to Fort Douglas, Utah, for internment as military prisoners during the war. The men have been detained by the military authorities at Honolulu since Feb. 4, when they surrendered after an attempt to burn the Geier.

The Argentine Republic received Germany's reply to her note protesting against the submarine campaign on Aug. 25. In its general tone it resembles the "Sussex note" sent to the United States. It expresses willingness to indemnify Argentina for the sinking of one of her ships and a desire "to maintain cordial relations with Argentina" ending with this statement: "The naval forces of the German empire have received orders and instructions in agreement with this viewpoint, and the imperial German government is convinced that after these declarations no incident will occur to disturb the friendly relations between Germany and Argentina."

The Military Conscription bill for the Dominion of Canada became a law on Aug. 28, when it was signed by the Governor General at Toronto on that date.

A United States warship patrolling in British waters, rescued the crew of the British steamer Trellisick, torpedoed by a German submarine, together with the crew of another torpedoed steamship which they had picked up a few hours before they themselves were attacked. Although the Trellisick was armed, she had no chance to defend herself.

Another striking indication of the growth of England's home production of munitions and of how futile has been the German submarine campaign in respect to cutting off Britain's supply of raw materials is to be found in the announcement of the Imperial Munitions Board at Ottawa, on Aug. 22, that production of munitions in Canada will be discontinued, as no longer necessary, except in some lines, which will be produced in lessened quantities.

The weekly summary on the submarine campaign issued by the British Admiralty on Aug. 29 reads: Arrivals, 2,689; sailings, 2,680. British merchant vessels sunk by mine or submarine over 1,600 tons, eighteen; under 1,600 tons, including one previously, five. British merchant vessels unsuccessfully attacked, including two previously, six. British fishing vessels sunk, none. The Italian report for the week ending Aug. 26 reads: Losses for the week comprised one large steamer, two small steamers and two small sailing vessels. One steamer was unsuccessfully attacked. Five hundred and eighty-eight vessels of all nationalities with a tonnage of 388,565 arrived and 557 vessels with a tonnage of 363,765 left Italian ports.

Surg. Gen. W. C. Braisted, U.S.N., has announced that on Sept. 17, at each of eighteen naval hospitals throughout the country, the Bureau will conduct examinations to fill sixty-eight vacancies in the grade of assistant surgeon in the Navy. This increase is in the permanent establishment; and was authorized automatically under the statute with the increase of the naval personnel. The candidates, 200 in number, are members of the Naval Medical Officers' Reserve Corps; and they will be selected for promotion in order of merit as determined by this examination. While the examinations will be conducted in all parts of the United States, the papers will be passed upon by a board of examiners in the Department at Washington. It is expected that most of the candidates who are not selected will receive temporary appointments for the duration of the war. They will receive commissions as lieutenants, junior grade, with the pay and allowances of that rank. Under the same law there are now twenty-one vacancies in the Dental Corps, to be filled by appointments from civil life. Graduates of recognized schools who are between the ages of twenty-four and thirty are eligible. Competitive examinations will be held in the East on Sept. 24 and at Mare Island on Oct. 15.

Orville T. Chamberlain, of Elkhart, Ind., was re-elected commander of the Army and Navy Medal of Honor Legion at the annual convention of the association in Boston, on Aug. 23. Other officers elected were John McClay, of Charlestown, senior vice-commander; Hermann W. Kuchmeister, of Winthrop, junior vice-commander; William S. Hubbell, of New York city, chaplain, and Benjamin B. Levy, of New York city, chairman of the executive committee. At the annual banquet of the Legion, held on the evening of the same day, Capt. William R. Rush, U.S.N., was one of the speakers.

The Veterans of the Foreign Wars of the United States held their eighteenth national encampment in New York city, Aug. 27-30. The encampment opened with an "official luncheon" on that date given by the commander-in-chief of the association, Albert J. Rabing, at which Rear Admiral Charles D. Sigbee, U.S.N., and Mayor Mitchell, of New York, were among the guests of honor and speakers. On the following day there was a lively discussion as to those who should be admitted to the organization after the war was over, a line being drawn at Americans who served with Canadian or French forces as far as the discussion went.

The newly organized 4th Battalion of New York Naval Militia, some 400 strong, was mustered into the service of the United States at New York city, Aug. 24. The battalion was organized by Capt. Eckford C. de Kay, and for the present will be in camp at Tarrytown, N.Y., and will later it is understood be assigned to various ships of the Navy.

SERVICE WEDDINGS.

An attractive wedding took place at St. Paul's Episcopal church, Pawtucket, R.I., Aug. —, 1917, when Miss Dorothy Dale Davidson became the bride of Lieut. Wesley Crowell Brigham, 42d U.S. Inf. The ceremony was witnessed by relatives and friends of the bride and bridegroom. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Lillian W. Davidson. Lieutenant Brigham, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Brigham, left Aug. 24 for Douglas, Utah. The bride was given in marriage by her mother and was attended by Mrs. Horace Green as matron of honor and Miss Kathryn Miller, as bridesmaid. The bride was attired in a graceful gown of white silk tastefully trimmed with Irish lace and tulle. Her veil was of chantilly lace, fastened to the coiffure with bandeaux of silver set with rhinestones. She carried a shower bouquet of bride roses. The bridegroom was accompanied by Lieut. Frank I. Hanlon, of Cranston, as best man. The ceremony was conducted according to the ritual of the Episcopal church and, as a fitting conclusion, the "Star Spangled Banner" was rendered on the organ. Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played as the bridal party left the church. An informal reception was held later at the home of the bride's mother, 9 Jefferson avenue. Mrs. Davidson and the parents of the bridegroom assisted in receiving.

Gen. and Mrs. Charles H. Muir, U.S.A., at a dinner given in their home in Gatun, Aug. 15, 1917, announced the engagement of their daughter, Helen, to Capt. Charles H. Cunningham, Eng. Corps, U.S.A., at Corral, C.Z. The guests at dinner included Major M. L. McGrew, U.S.A., Capt. and Mrs. Benjamin R. Wade, U.S.A., Capt. and Mrs. Allan Rutherford, U.S.A., Miss Muir, Captain Cunningham, U.S.A., Capt. Ellery Farmer, U.S.A., and Capt. W. T. Macmillan, U.S.A. The dinner preceded a party given at the club for General Muir and Major Clement. The wedding will take place the early part of September.

Mrs. Charles Leicester Payne, of Montclair, N.J., announces the engagement of her daughter, Margaret Tarr Payne, to Lieut. Douglas Tilford Cameron, U.S.A. Miss Payne is the granddaughter of the late William H. Payne, of New York city. Lieutenant Cameron is attached to the Headquarters of the 27th Division and is the son of Brig. Gen. George H. Cameron, U.S.A., and grandson of the late Brig. Gen. Joseph Green Tilford, U.S.A.

The marriage of Miss Mary Ala Pierce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence S. Pierce, to Lieut. E. W. Timberlake, U.S.A., Class of 1918, will take place at Union City, Ind., on Sept. 5, 1917. Lieutenant Timberlake is the son of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Timberlake, U.S.A., who are now stationed at West Point.

Capt. and Mrs. George Edward Lovell, 14th U.S. Cav., Fort Clark, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Maude, to Lieut. Frank Henry Barnhart, 17th U.S. Cav. The wedding will take place the latter part of September.

Capt. James B. Ord, 54th U.S. Inf., will be married in September to Miss Emily Howell, of Chattanooga. The date has not been announced. Captain Ord is to be stationed at the Fort Oglethorpe Training Camp, relieving Captain Wrightson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Rice, of Winchester, Va., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Helen Ahy, to Lieut. Richard F. Hatcher, 1st Va. Inf., Aug. 18, 1917. Lieut. Hatcher is a brother of Capt. Julian S. Hatcher, Ord. Dept. U.S.A., and Lieut. Jas. L. Hatcher, Coast Artillery Corps, U.S.A.

Lieut. James Rushmore Wood, U.S. Cav., and Miss Katherine Lawrence Wickham, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen S. Wickham, of 127 South Parsons avenue, Flushing, L.I., were married Aug. 29, 1917, at the bride's home by the Rev. Morgan L. Griffith, of St. George's Episcopal church. Miss Wickham, in white Georgette crepe and wearing the point lace veil worn by her great-great-grandmother, at her wedding, more than a century ago, was attended by her sister, Miss Louise Floyd Wickham. Lieut. Peter Townsend Cox, U.S. Cavalry, was the best man.

One of the large and fashionable assemblies of the year, of the Army and resident society, gathered Aug. 22, 1917, in the picturesque chapel at Fort Leavenworth to witness the marriage of Miss Katherine Palmer Swift, youngest daughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Eben Swift, to Capt. Carl Fish McKinney, U.S. Infantry, and aid to General Swift. The chapel altar vases were filled with long stemmed gladioli; on the sides of the altar were tall palms, and the whole was lighted with Cathedral candles in brass candelabra. Down the aisles were tall white standards tied with bouquets of white roses and bearing aloft lighted candles. As a prelude, Miss Edith Campion played a program of delightful music, and the bridal chorus from Lohengrin was played as the processional as the bridal party entered, led by the groomsmen, Major I. Palmer Swift, brother of the bride, Capt. H. L. Taylor and Lieut. Joseph Byron. The matron of honor, Mrs. Nelson Boyce, of Chicago, immediately preceded the bride, who entered with her distinguished father. The best man was Capt. Rapp Brush. Dr. Robert King Pooley, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, read the betrothal service. The bride was attired in a trained gown of white satin and tulle; the skirt, of ankle length, and fashioned of flounces of tulle. The bodice decollete, and outlined with crystal beading. The full court train, extending several yards behind the wearer, was hung from the shoulders. Her tulle veil was fastened with a bandeau of lace and plaited in the back and caught with bunches of orange blossoms. She carried a shower of gardenias and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Boyce, the matron of honor and a bride of only several months, wore her wedding gown of white satin embroidered in pearls and crystal trimming and carried American beauty roses. The bride's mother was gowned in lavender orchid tulle and silver. The marriage was followed by a very large reception at the commandant's quarters, where the drawing room was decorated with bride roses. The spacious grounds were lighted by myriads of red, white and blue incandescent lights. In the dining room the decorative plan of green and white was carried out in bride roses and asters. Capt. and Mrs. McKinney left for Atlanta, Ga.

Lieut. and Mrs. Blanton C. Welsh, U.S.A., retired, residing at Montclair, N.J., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emilie Benson Welsh, to Mr. Paul Felton Wiggins, also of Montclair. Both Miss Welsh and Mr. Wiggins are directly connected with New England families of prominence, and are members of various clubs. Miss Welsh, who graduated from Vassar in

1914, is a member of the Woman's University Club of N.Y., New Jersey Society of Colonial Dames, as well as patriotic and philanthropic organizations. Mrs. Welsh is largely interested in interests for the blind and at present is serving as a State Commissioner for the Blind of New Jersey.

Major John W. Barnes, 4th U.S. Inf., and Mrs. Blanche R. Lawrence, of Ontario, Cal., were married Aug. 13, 1917, in St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Long Beach, Cal., by Rev. Arnold Bode, rector. Following the ceremony Major and Mrs. Barnes left for a trip to San Diego before proceeding to El Paso, Texas, the new station of the groom.

The marriage of Miss Emilie Cabanne, of St. Louis, Mo., and Lieut. John Murray Jenkins, Field Art., U.S.A., with station at Chickamauga Park, Ga., took place at Circleville, Ohio, on Aug. 24, 1917. Miss Cabanne, who has been with her sister, Mrs. Austin Parker and Captain Parker, at Fort Leavenworth for the past two months, left the first of last week for Ohio, to be the guest of Lieutenant Jenkins's mother and there the wedding took place. Mrs. Jenkins is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sarpy Carr Cabanne, of St. Louis, Mo., one of the most prominent families in that city. Lieutenant Jenkins was a member of the first class of provisional lieutenants at Fort Leavenworth. He is the son of Colonel Jenkins, U.S. Cav., a grandson of Gen. James F. Wade, U.S.A., and a nephew of Capt. John F. Wade, U.S.A.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Embree announce the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to Lieut. David Preston McCallib, U.S. Inf., on July 2, 1917, at their home in Belton, Texas.

Miss Mary A. Mitchell, of Sandusky, Ohio, and Major Wylie T. Conway, U.S.A., were married at Washington, D. C., Aug. 18, 1917.

Lieut. Hiram Baldwin Ely, U.S.A., class of 1918, U.S.M.A., son of Capt. Addison Ely, N.J.N.G., of Rutherford, and Miss Zelle de Lussan Porter, daughter of Mrs. Josephine Florence Buckingham Porter, of Field Point Road, Greenwich, Conn., were married at West Point, N.Y., Aug. 30, at 4:30 o'clock in the Cadet chapel, in the presence of about 300 guests. The Rev. H. Percy Silver, U.S.A., chaplain of the Military Academy, officiated. Miss Adelaide MacLetchie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John MacLetchie, of Intervale Place, Greenwich, was maid of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Eva Hutchison, Clara Ely, a sister of the bridegroom; Marjorie J. Currie and Catherine Webb. Harold Cooney was best man. The ushers, all classmates of the bridegroom, were Lieut. Glen Anderson, Willard Murphy, John Bissel, Emile Krause, Frank Reed, and George Hirsch. On either side of the chapel battle flags were draped, while the platform was banked with palms. The bride's gown was of white satin and chiffon cloth embroidered over silver cloth, with an embroidered court train of silver cloth lined with shirred white chiffon hung from the shoulders, and dotted with sprays of orange blossoms. She wore a tulle veil, which fell from a Greek headdress. She carried a shower bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley. Following the ceremony the bride and bridegroom walked down the aisle under crossed swords. A reception was held in Cullum Hall, after which the couple left on their honeymoon trip. Lieutenant Ely will be assigned to the Engineers.

Lieut. Henry Grant Leonard, U.S. Field Art., and Miss Bertha Florence Harrison, of Newark, N.J., were married in St. Paul's Chapel, New York city, on Aug. 18.

RESERVE CORPS WEDDINGS.

Miss Helen Ward, daughter of Mrs. Edwin Carrington Ward, of Brooklyn, N.Y., was married to Lieut. Philip Durant Smith at Lake Mohonk, N.Y., on Aug. 23, 1917, by the Rev. Dr. W. H. P. Faunce, president of Brown University. The wedding took place in the garden of the Lake Mohonk Mountain House.

Miss Gretchen Greenwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Greenwood, of Montclair, N.J., was married to Lieut. Newell Phipps Weed, O.R.C., also of Montclair, Aug. 23, 1917, in St. Luke's Episcopal church, Montclair, the Right Rev. Bishop Edwin S. Lines officiating.

Capt. W. Sergeant Bouvier, U.S.R., of Nutley, N.J., and Miss Emma Louise Stone, daughter of the late Dr. Carl Stone, of Chicago, Ill., and of Mrs. Niele Gron, were married at New York city, Aug. 24, 1917, in the rectory of St. Patrick's Cathedral by the Rev. Bernard J. McQuade. Captain Bouvier has been assigned to duty at Wrightstown, N.J., on Sept. 29.

The marriage is announced at Waco, Texas, Aug. 18, 1917, of Lieut. Richard Torrence, U.S.R., and Miss Katherine Sheppard. After a brief trip to Galveston, Lieut. Torrence will report to Camp Travis, San Antonio, for duty. He is a brother of Capt. W. C. Torrence, Company G, 2d Texas Inf., who has been in service on the border more than a year.

Lieut. H. F. Ellis, U.S.R., and Miss Lela Ruth Perry, were married Aug. 19, at Waco, Texas. Lieutenant Ellis has been ordered to report to Hoboken, N.J., and tarried long enough to wed before his departure. Mrs. Ellis will remain with her parents while he is in foreign service.

Lieut. Philip W. Swain, U.S.R., of Bridgeport, Conn., and Miss Edith F. Adair, were married in St. John's church, Elizabeth, N.J., on Aug. 21, 1917. Lieutenant Swain has been assigned to duty at Camp Ayer, Mass.

Miss Eveline Parker Weeks, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John E. Weeks, of New York city, was married at Olympia, Wash., Aug. 25, 1917, to First Lieut. Frank B. Mount, M.R.C. As Dr. Mount could not go East on account of his military duties, the bride and her parents went to Olympia.

Miss Marjorie Fleming, daughter of Mr. Arthur H. Fleming, of Pasadena, Cal., was married in New York city, Aug. 27, 1917, in the Central Presbyterian church to Lieut. Wilton Lloyd Smith, O.R.C.

The marriage of Miss Holland Fitts and Lieut. Thomas Johnston Garner, O.R.C., took place at the residence of her parents, Assistant Attorney General and Mrs. William C. Fitts, in Washington, D.C., Aug. 25, 1917. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Robert Talbot.

Capt. Gerald Egan, O.R.C., and Miss Marie Louise Hoover, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John E. S. Hoover, were married on Aug. 25, 1917, at Washington, D.C., in St. Thomas's chapel.

Miss Jean Imbrie, youngest daughter of William M. Imbrie, of New York, was married in New York city, Aug. 23, 1917, to Lieut. Russell Carter, O.R.C., in the home of the bride in Englewood Cliffs, Englewood, N.J. The Rev. Frank Janeway, of the Brick Presbyterian church of New York, officiated.

Judge and Mrs. Frank Nelson, of Rustburg, Va., announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Louise C. Nelson, to Lieut. Allen W. Wright, O.R.C., son of Col.

and Mrs. George M. Wright Ohio National Guard, retired, at Rustburg, Va. on Aug. 25, 1917.

RECENT DEATHS.

Capt. Roderick Dew, 40th U.S. Inf., instructor at Fort Sheridan, Ill., shot himself through the head in his quarters on the night of Aug. 24. When his body was discovered by Surgeon Proxmire a pistol was clutched in his right hand. He was born in Nebraska April 17, 1881, and was graduated from West Point in 1904. He has served in the 19th, 23d, 6th, 17th and 40th Infantry, and also at West Point. He leaves a widow, "Captain Dew," said Col. J. A. Ryan, camp commander, "was one of the ablest of the younger men in the Service. He worked at terrific tension throughout the last training period. He even refused to ask for a vacation in order that the work of the second course might be expedited." Captain Dew was instructor of the 8th Company, 11th Provisional Infantry.

Second Lieut. Frederick Wahlstrom, U.S.M.C., died in France, Aug. 21, 1917, from injuries received in a motorcycle accident. This was the first death since the Marines were sent to France. Lieutenant Wahlstrom was one of the crack shots of the Marine Corps, an electrical expert, and a veteran of several campaigns. He was born May 5, 1878, at Mariestad, Sweden, and entered the Marine Corps as an enlisted man, Oct. 1, 1908. He was temporarily appointed a second lieutenant, July 5, 1917, and assigned to duty with the Marines in France. He served with the expeditionary force of Marines in Panama in 1904, and participated in the Cuban pacification of 1906. He was a graduate of the Navy Electrical School. He was not married.

Mrs. Nancy Hamilton Miller, mother of the wife of Col. Ernest Hinds, Gen. Staff Corps, U.S.A., died at Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 23, 1917.

The death was announced, last week, of Mrs. Thomas Hall McKoy, mother of Mrs. Harry Burgess, wife of Col. Harry Burgess, Corps of Engineers, U.S.A., and sister of Capt. Edwin A. Anderson, U.S.N. The interment was Aug. 23, 1917, Wilmington, N.C.

Lois Wood Brown Jouett, daughter of Charles A. Melaine de B. Brown, wife of Lieut. John H. Jouett, U.S.A., died at Fort Omaha, Nebr., Aug. 21, 1917.

A peculiarly sad death was the recent one of James Southard Parker, Jr., son of Major and Mrs. J. S. Parker, U.S.A., and grandson of Capt. and Mrs. H. R. Lemly, U.S.A., at the Emergency Hospital, Washington, D.C., from a shotgun wound accidentally inflicted while hunting near Rockville, Md. Although his entire right lung was carried away by the force of the explosion, such was his fortitude and vitality that he survived the hurried journey to the capital and more than two days thereafter, conscious but without a complaint or murmur. The deceased was an Army boy by both parents and was preparing to enter West Point. His paternal grandfather was the late Major Richard C. Parker, U.S.A., while his maternal great-grandfather was the late Gen. Innis N. Palmer, U.S.A., and his great-great-grandfather the late Col. Llewellyn Jones, of the old Mounted Rifles. A handsome, noble and manly lad, he leaves a sweet and lovely memory with his schoolmates and with the many officers and their families that knew him in the Army garrisons of the Philippines, Hawaii and in our own West and Southwest. His mother arrived from Fort Bliss, Texas, in time to comfort him by her presence at the end and his father soon after. God rest his youthful spirit!

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CANDIDATES FOR WEST POINT.

The following candidates for the West Point entrance examination to be held in March, 1918, have been designated during the past week:

Maryland—Frederick J. Sendelbach, Baltimore; Abraham Davidson, first alternative, Baltimore.

Massachusetts—George B. Hall, Fitchburg; Raymond W. Goodell, first alternative, Southbridge; Richard C. Sugden, second alternative, Spencer; Francis H. Morse, Southbridge; Albert A. Scott, first alternative, Fitchburg; Earl Partridge, second alternative, Ashby.

Minnesota—Theodore A. Holdah, Roseau; Adolph Berglund, first alternative, Warroad; Sigurd F. Anderson, second alternative, Hallock.

Missouri—John N. Geyer, Graham; Cecil H. Myer, first alternative, St. Joseph; James O. Robnett, Columbia.

Washington—Archibald W. Talbot, first alternative, Spokane.

Honor Schools—Thomas E. Whitehead, Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.; Robert B. Bartlett, Spur, Texas.

PERSONALS.

(Contributions to this column are always welcome.)

Mrs. William Meade Coulling has returned from Atlantic City, N.J., and will spend September with her mother, Mrs. Armistead T. M. Rust, at her home in Leesburg, Va.

A son was born to Lillian Parks Pritchett and Richard H. Pritchett in East Orange, N.J., on Aug. 24. Mrs. Pritchett is a daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Wythe M. Parks, U.S.N.

Mrs. F. A. Prince, wife of Captain Prince, U.S.A., and children have taken an apartment for the winter at 428 West Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N.Y., during Captain Prince's absence in France.

Lieut. Col. Fred R. Brown, U.S.A., formerly of the Bureau of Insular Affairs, has left Washington for Camp Meade to join the 7th Division, National Army. Mrs. Brown and her two daughters will remain in Washington.

Mrs. R. H. Williams and Marie, wife and daughter of Major R. H. Williams, C.A.C., U.S.A., formerly military attaché at Constantinople, have been spending the past week with Ambassador and Mrs. Elkus at their country home on Rumson road, near Sea Bright, N.J.

Mrs. Henry Romeyn and Miss N. Romeyn, of Washington, have been spending a number of weeks with Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Romeyn, U.S.A., at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt. Miss Romeyn, returned Monday and in September Mrs. C. A. Romeyn will go to Washington with M. S. Henry Romeyn and remain there during the absence of Colonel Romeyn at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.

Second Lieut. Edwin Mott has resigned from the Infantry O.R.C. to enter the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps.

A son, Lloyd Harden, was born to Lieut. and Mrs. J. Y. Dreisonstok, U.S.N., at Washington, D.C., on Aug. 24, 1917.

A son, Robert Hugh, was born to Capt. and Mrs. Walter V. Gallagher, 37th U.S. Inf., on Aug. 5, 1917, at Detroit, Mich.

P.A. Paymr. and Mrs. John Harrison Knapp, U.S.N., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter on Aug. 19.

A son, James Girardin Workizer, was born to Major and Mrs. J. G. Workizer, U.S.A., at Omaha, Nebr., on July 21, 1917.

Mrs. Walker, widow of Col. Leverett H. Walker, Art. Corps, U.S.A., is spending sometime at the Battery Park Hotel in Asheville, N.C.

A son, Louis Boyd Kendall, was born to Lieut. and Mrs. Clinton P. Kendall, U.S. Coast Guard, at Boston, Mass., on Aug. 19, 1917.

Paymr. William N. Hughes, U.S.N., was among the luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gustave J. S. White in Newport, R.I., on Aug. 19.

A daughter was born to Lieut. and Mrs. Hugo Mella, M.O.R.C., U.S. Army, at Mandan Hospital, Fort Lincoln, N.D., on Aug. 19, 1917.

Major and Mrs. E. T. Conley, U.S.A., have left Fort Niagara for Washington, where Major Conley is on duty in The Adjutant General's Department.

Major Gen. and Mrs. Leonard Wood, U.S.A., who were in Washington for a few days last week, had friends lunching with them at the Willard on Aug. 23.

Mrs. Margaret Gummeré, of Glen Gummeré, Princeton, N.J., is the guest of Phyllis Hartmann, daughter of Lieutenant Colonel Hartmann, at Governors Island, N.Y.

Comdr. and Mrs. Theodor Porter, U.S.N., are at the Hotel Van Rensselaer, New York. Their son, Mr. Galloway G. Cheston, graduated from the U.S. School of Military Aeronautics, Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y., last week and is now on leave.

Mrs. Mason M. Patrick, wife of Colonel Patrick, U.S.A., is visiting in Plainfield, N.J. Prior to her departure from Washington Mrs. Patrick was the guest of honor at a delightful tea given by Mrs. Myron Bertman, wife of Captain Bertman, U.S.A., on Aug. 23.

Gen. W. C. Rafferty, U.S.A., the former commander of the Southern Artillery District of New York with headquarters at Fort Hamilton, relinquished command there Aug. 23 to proceed to the cantonment at Anniston, Ala., where he commands an Artillery brigade. Before leaving he was given an enjoyable reception by Col. Sydney Grant, 13th Coast Defense Command, N.Y.N.G., who automatically succeeded General Rafferty in command.

Capt. and Mrs. Robert Whitfield, U.S.A., who have been in Oklahoma City, Okla., for the past six months, have left for the East. Captain Whitfield is detailed in the office of the Chief of Staff in Washington, and Mrs. Whitfield has gone to Youngstown, N.Y., to be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester M. Butler, who have a summer home there. Later in the season Mrs. Whitfield will join Captain Whitfield in Washington.

Major John A. Brockman, Inf., U.S.A., who was recently commissioned from captain, has been on duty with the New York National Guard as an inspector-instructor with the Signal Corps. His friends are glad to learn that he now wears the gold oak leaf and wish him luck in his new assignment at a cantonment on Long Island, N.Y. The Major has been an energetic and most efficient instructor with the troops, who will regret sincerely to lose his services.

Mrs. Charles Wilder and Miss Katharine Wilder, who have been house guests of Col. and Mrs. Daniel Craig, U.S.A., in Washington, since early summer have left for New York, en route to their home in California. Mrs. Craig will be at the Cairo until the first week in September, when she hopes to be able to take little Daniel Craig, Jr., from the hospital, where he is recovering from appendicitis and go to Boston to be near Colonel Craig, who has lately been ordered to Camp Devens, Mass.

Capt. Winfield S. Overton, U.S.A., retired, has been detailed as professor of military science and tactics at Yale, to take the place held for two years by Major Robert M. Danford, U.S.A. Capt. Alan C. Bland and Lieut. Raymond H. Massey will be stationed at the college as resident Canadian officers. Prof. Edward Bliss Reed and Prof. Joshua I. Tracey, of the Yale faculty, who are now at Fort Sill, Okla., taking intensive military training at the School of Fire, also will aid in carrying on the work of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps at Yale during the coming college year.

Lieut. Philip Milnor Ljungstedt, U.S.A., who has been stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., filed in the New York City Supreme Court on Aug. 25 a successful application to rearrange his name to Philip Ljungstedt Milnor. Lieutenant Ljungstedt said that after his parents died, when he was less than nine years old, he was adopted in 1896 by a woman who became the wife of Olaf A. Ljungstedt. Both his parents were born in the United States and he was born in New York city, which he claims as his home. He said the Army authorities refused to recognize a change of name unless approved by a court of competent jurisdiction. Justice Erlanger approved the application.

Major Gen. and Mrs. Hunter Liggett, U.S.A., entertained with a dinner at their quarters at Fort Mason, Cal., a few days ago. Gen. and Mrs. Liggett are being regretfully bidden good-by by the many friends whom they have made since arriving in San Francisco. Entertainments for the Liggetts, and their entertainments in turn, have done much to enliven the social calendar during this unusually quiet summer season. Those who enjoyed their hospitality that evening included: Col. and Mrs. O. W. B. Farr, Major and Mrs. Philip Wales, Major and Mrs. Basil N. Rittenhouse, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Coffey, Col. Thornwell Mullally, Major Herbert Wagner, Mesdames Eleanor Martin, Frank Caldwell and John Morrison.

"Major Gen. Joseph T. Dickman, U.S.A.," says the Burlington, Vt., Daily Free Press, "will carry to his new position in the West the best wishes of all Vermont. He has been a genuine friend of this whole region, working for our general welfare as well as for the promotion of the efficiency of the troops under his command. We sincerely hope when he gets through with Army life he will do as have so many other splendid military officers, and make Burlington his home. Col. William C. Rivers, who succeeds to the command of all the troops at this military post, is one of the most efficient and brilliant men in the Service. He is a fine grained gentleman of the old school, a strong admirer and a loyal friend of the Champlain Valley and the post will surely continue to flourish and do splendid work under his supervision."

Major and Mrs. Thomas Holcomb, U.S.M.C., have returned to Washington, after a brief visit to Atlantic City, N.J.

A son, Calvin Ellsworth Knerr, was born to Capt. and Mrs. H. J. Knerr, Coast Art., U.S.A., July 31, 1917, at Honolulu, H.T.

Miss Sarah Shanks, daughter of Brig. Gen. David C. Shanks, U.S.A., is spending some time at Berkeley Springs, W. Va.

Mrs. Alexander E. Williams, wife of Major Williams, U.S.A., will go to North Carolina next week for a visit at her former home.

Mrs. W. G. Farwell has taken an apartment at Seventeenth and S streets, Washington, while P.A. Surgeon Farwell, U.S.N., is on duty at Quantico, Va.

Mr. Alexander S. Doniphan, of Alexandria, Va., is visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Daniel N. Swan, U.S.A., at Fort Hancock, N.Y.

Miss Dorothy Willard, the youngest daughter of Col. and Mrs. Joseph H. Willard, U.S.A., will be presented to society at a large reception at their Newport villa in September.

Col. and Mrs. W. P. Chamberlain, U.S.A., and their daughter, Maria, motored from Madison Barracks to Washington. Colonel Chamberlain is now in the Surgeon General's office.

Mrs. Edwin St. John Greble is staying at the Huntington Valley Country Club to be near Major Greble, U.S.A., who is at Camp Wannamaker, Jenkintown, with the 2d Penn. Field Artillery.

Mrs. Roland B. Ellis, wife of Captain Ellis, 14th U.S. Cav., is spending the balance of the summer at the Chalfonte Hotel, Atlantic City, N.J., with her mother, Mrs. E. P. Nalle, of Washington, D.C.

Major S. P. Vestal, U.S.A., and Mrs. Vestal entertained at a tea-dance at San Diego, Cal., recently Mrs. Alexander L. Dade, Miss Dade, Mrs. R. S. Swarthout and Mrs. Truholtz, of San Francisco.

Mrs. Thomas George Lanphier (Janet Cobb) and small son are guests at the Shoreham Hotel in Washington, where they will remain while Captain Lanphier is on duty with his regiment at Gettysburg, Pa.

Mrs. Nazro, widow of Rear Admiral Nazro, U.S.N., is at Kittery Point, Me. Mrs. Nazro and her sister, Miss Goodwin, always make their summer home together at the old family place, Dartington, on Gerrish Island.

Mrs. Esther Cole Jackson, of Toledo, Ohio, is visiting her brother's wife, Mrs. Cyrus W. Cole, who, with her son, Churchill, has taken a bungalow in Santa Barbara, Cal., while Commander Cole is serving with the Atlantic Fleet.

Capt. and Mrs. H. H. Pritchett, U.S.A., after three months spent at Madison Barracks and a short leave in New York city, are now at Plattsburg Barracks, where Captain Pritchett will be on duty with the next training camp.

Comdr. and Mrs. W. S. Pye, U.S.N., announces the birth of a son, John Briscoe Pye, on Aug. 25, 1917. Mrs. Pye, before her marriage, was Miss Annie Ethelda Briscoe, daughter of Judge John P. Briscoe, of the Supreme Court of Maryland.

Mrs. Raymond W. Briggs, wife of Major R. W. Briggs, who is in France, is at the Roosevelt Hospital, Fifty-ninth street, New York, recovering from an operation, which she underwent about three weeks ago. Her convalescence is progressing very nicely and she expects to go to her sister, Mrs. Brady, wife of Colonel Brady, at Governors Island very shortly.

Among the guests at the dinner given by the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Daniels on Aug. 24 for Vice Admiral Takeshita, of the Imperial Japanese navy, were Rear Admiral Charles J. Badger, U.S.N.; Rear Admiral Frank Fletcher, U.S.N.; Rear Admiral Albert G. Winterhalter, U.S.N.; Rear Admiral Washington L. Capps, U.S.N.; Capt. Charles C. Marsh, U.S.N.; Capt. William V. Pratt, U.S.N.; the Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt, and Lieut. Comdr. Byron McCandless, U.S.N.

Lieut. Col. Wallace DeWitt, M.C., U.S.A., left Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., Aug. 23 for Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind. He has been appointed medical director of the division of troops (over 40,000) mobilizing at this camp, which is commanded by Major Gen. Edwin F. Glenn, U.S.A. "During his term of service at Fort Ethan Allen, covering several years," writes a correspondent, "Colonel DeWitt has performed faithful service. He is one of the most efficient officers in the Medical Corps of the Army. His legion of friends in Vermont will wish him continued success at his new station."

One of the delightful affairs at San Antonio, Texas, Aug. 16, was the despedida concert with which Major and Mrs. Harry B. Jordan, U.S.A., were complimented by Capt. and Mrs. John Henry Read, Jr., 3d Cav., as a farewell on the eve of their departure from the arsenal, where they have been for several years. "Their departure," says the San Antonio Express, "will be greatly regretted by scores of friends, quite a few of whom were bidden for this occasion. The guests gathered on the spacious galleries and on the lawn, surrounded by the giant oaks, and as the band played through the selected program the refreshments were served. The 3d Cavalry band rendered the musical program."

Among the guests at the dinner given by the President in honor of the members of the Japanese mission were the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, Rear Admiral William S. Benson, U.S.N.; the Chief of Staff of the Army, Major Gen. Hugh L. Scott, U.S.A.; Major Gen. Henry G. Sharpe, U.S.A.; Brig. Gen. William Crozier, U.S.A.; Brig. Gen. William M. Black, U.S.A.; Brig. Gen. George O. Squier, U.S.A.; Brig. Gen. John L. Chamberlain, U.S.A.; Lieut. Col. Palmer E. Pierce, U.S.A.; Rear Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, U.S.N.; Chief Constr. David W. Taylor, U.S.N.; Civil Engr. Frederick R. Harris, U.S.N.; Paymr. Gen. Samuel McGowan, U.S.N.; Rear Admiral James H. Glennon, U.S.N., and the Commandant of the Marine Corps, Major Gen. George Barnett, U.S.M.C.

A farewell dinner was given at the Hotel Tivoli in Panama to Capt. and Mrs. John W. McKie, Med. Corps, U.S.A., by the Hon. William Jennings Price, Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States to Panama. The table was set on the pergola which was decorated with flags and lights for the occasion. The guests were Col. and Mrs. Jay J. Morrow, Major General Cronkhite, Judge and Mrs. Blackburn, Comdr. Hutch I. Cone, U.S.N.; Miss Plummer, the daughter of General Plummer, U.S.A.; Major Cole, U.S.A.; Mr. Jorge Boyd and Mrs. Jorge Boyd, a niece of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson; Miss Anita Ehrman and Mr. Juan Ehrman, of Panama; Capt. and Mrs. John Dunn, U.S.A.; Mr. Charles Curtis, secretary to the American Legation; Miss Morrow, Miss Scandrett and Mr. Gilmore. Captain McKie is stationed in New York with duty as assistant to superintendent of Army Transport Service.

Mrs. William H. Benson, wife of Rear Admiral Benson, U.S.N., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Wyse at Pikeville, Md.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Roscoe F. Willen, U.S.N., left Annapolis, Md., on Aug. 30, to motor to Monterey, Pa.

Mrs. John P. Jackson, wife of Commander Jackson, U.S.N., is spending the summer at the Homestead, Hot Springs, Va.

Col. Young is on active duty in charge of the Portland Recruiting District, with offices at Third and Oak streets, Portland.

Miss Ruth Anderson, daughter of Brig. Gen. Harry B. Anderson, U.S.A., is taking a six weeks' hospital course in Boston, Mass.

Brig. Gen. Henry D. Todd, U.S.A., left Fort Adams, R.I., last week to take command of the 58th Artillery Brigade at Houston, Texas.

Miss Juanita Humphrey, daughter of Maj. Gen. Charles F. Humphrey, U.S.A., is spending several months visiting in New York.

Mrs. Zera L. Tanner and Miss Ruth Tanner, widow and daughter of the late Captain Tanner, U.S.N., are spending the summer at Warm Springs, Va.

Col. and Mrs. George S. Young, U.S.A., and daughter, Miss Polly Young, have located in Portland, Ore., and are living at 100 North Eighteenth street.

Dr. Karl Osterhaus, son of Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus, U.S.N., will sail shortly for France with Base Hospital No. 41 recently organized at the University of Virginia.

Lieut. William Worth Dempsey, U.S.A., recently arrived in Alexandria, Va., from Eagle Pass, Texas, and is visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Phineas J. Dempsey.

Rear Admiral and Mrs. Eugene H. C. Leutze, U.S.N., and Miss Marion Leutze, who have been spending the summer at the Warm Springs, Va., plan to return to Washington on Sept. 15.

Mrs. Hugh Hunt Broadhurst and children are spending the summer at the Lookout Mountain House, Lookout Mountain, Tenn. Captain Broadhurst, U.S.A., is in camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Mrs. Barnett, wife of the Commandant of the Marine Corps, is the guest of Mrs. Irving H. Chase at Narragansett Pier, R.I., and will return to her country place, Wakefield Manor, Va., early in September.

The Rev. Percival F. Houghton, curate of St. Luke's Church, Scranton, Pa., has received a commission as first lieutenant in the 1st Regiment of Pennsylvania Engineers and will also be chaplain of that regiment.

The Duchess de Richelieu will give a concert for the benefit of French tubercular soldiers at the residence of Mrs. George Washington Custis at Southampton, L.I., on Sept. 2. The Duchess is a daughter of the late Capt. Frederick May Wise, U.S.N.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles C. Marsh were hosts at a delightful dinner at their residence in Washington on Aug. 27, in compliment to Admiral Takeshita, naval attaché of the Japanese mission. The table decorations were in the national colors of the United States and Japan. Comdr. and Mrs. Franck Taylor Evans, of Newport, were among the guests.

Brig. Gen. William Weigel, U.S.A., who will be in charge of the 157th Depot Brigade of the 76th Division National Army, (New England draft troops) has arrived at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass. Brig. Gen. W. S. McNair, 15th Artillery Brigade, has also arrived at Ayer. Both officers are well known in the New York National Guard, with whom they have served.

The Secretary of War, Mr. Newton Baker, and Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Carl Vrooman, reviewed the regiment of 10th Engineers from the steps of the War Department, Washington, on Aug. 28. This regiment, known as foresters, will leave shortly for France, where they will produce from French forests material needed in military operations.

Hon. James Ralph, Mayor of San Francisco, and Mrs. Ralph entertained as guests on their balcony at the official welcome to the Imperial Japanese commission upon their arrival at San Francisco Aug. 13. Mrs. Masanao Hanibara, wife of the consul general of Japan; Mrs. Charles Burnett, wife of Capt. Charles Burnett, U.S.A.; Mrs. Henry Breckinridge, wife of ex-Assistant Secretary of War Henry Breckinridge, and Mrs. Lane, their house guest.

Ex-Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Henry Breckinridge entertained at a delightful dinner at the Palace Hotel on Aug. 11, complimentary to Mr. Breckinridge Long, Assistant Secretary of State, visiting in San Francisco as the official representative of President Wilson to welcome the Imperial Japanese mission to the United States. Mr. and Mrs. Breckinridge's guests included Mr. Breckinridge Long, and Col. James A. Irons, U.S.A.; Capt. and Mrs. Charles Burnett, U.S.A.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Driscoll, of San Mateo, Dean and Mrs. Barrows, of the University of California.

"Among the charming visitors to Coronado this month," says the San Diego (Cal.) Union, "are Major and Mrs. S. P. Vestal, of San Raphael, Cal., who are cosily domiciled in a most attractive bungalow at 816 Tolita avenue. Mrs. Vestal is the sister of Mrs. R. D. Swarthout, of Hotel del Coronado. Major Vestal, who is a retired United States Army officer, occupies the chair of military instructor for the Government at the schools in Talmapa and Hitchcock, and he and Mrs. Vestal are enjoying their vacation in Coronado. Major Vestal is an enthusiastic golf player and almost every morning finds him on the links of the Coronado Country Club, while in the afternoons he and Mrs. Vestal explore the surrounding country in their automobile."

Major Gen. Joseph T. Dickman, U.S.A., was given a farewell dinner by representative citizens of Burlington, Vt., Aug. 22 at which Mayor J. Holmes Jackson presided. Judge Charles H. Darling, formerly an Assistant Secretary of the Navy, speaking for the city of Burlington, said he was sure he voiced the sentiment of his fellow citizens in expressing their appreciation of the services of the guest of honor. They admired her sterling qualities, made manifest during his sojourn here as commanding officer at Fort Ethan Allen. They congratulated him on his well-earned promotion, and more so on the fact that it was a deserved recognition of his faithful and efficient service as an officer. Others also made after dinner remarks. General Dickman responded feelingly, and spoke of the friendly relations that had existed between the United States contingent at Fort Ethan Allen and the citizens of Burlington since his location at the post. The general said in closing that he hoped at some future time to return to Burlington, so fraught with pleasant relations and pleasant memories. General Dickman and family left Fort Ethan Allen on Aug. 24 for Battle Creek, Mich., where he has been assigned to duty.

Capt. and Mrs. K. C. Masteller, U.S.A., have taken apartments at the Cairo, Washington, D.C.

A daughter, Mary Anne Patterson, was born to Lieut. and Mrs. W. G. Patterson, Coast Art. Corps, U.S.A., at Portland, Me., Aug. 22, 1917.

Lieut. Dudley S. Brown, U.S.M.C., son of Col. George LeR. Brown, U.S.A., was married to Miss Josephine Helena Waters at Washington, D.C., Aug. 10, 1917.

INFANTRY DRILL REGULATIONS.

Changes No. 20, Infantry Drill Regulations, dated Aug. 18, 1917, is issued this week. It directs the correction of Para. 150, and 150 Appendix A, in the War Department edition mis-corrected April 15, when Changes No. 7 was misapplied to Para. 150. This was fully explained in our issue of June 16, page 1362. Changes No. 20 does not alter the text of any edition of the I.D.R. issued by the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL, in which both paragraphs are correctly printed, as follows, and as now ordered in Changes No. 20:

150—CEASE FIRING. Firing stops; pieces not already there are brought to the position of load, those not loaded are loaded; sights are laid, pieces are locked and brought to the order. Cease firing is used for long pauses to prepare for changes of position, or to steady the men.

150, Appendix A—CEASE FIRING. Firing stops; pieces not already there are brought to the position of load, the cut-off turned down if firing from magazine, the cartridge is drawn or the empty shell is ejected, the trigger is pulled, sights are laid down, and the piece is brought to the order. Cease firing is used for long pauses to prepare for changes of position or to steady the men.

Col. Goodwin, of the British Medical Staff, and Colonel Duclere, of the French Medical Staff, both on duty with the staff of the Surgeon General of our Army, after all their service on the western front, saw only last week the greatest review of medical organizations, right in the United States, at a little place in northern Georgia, where, up to a few short months ago, there had scarcely been a thought of war. A brigade dress parade of the students of the Medical Officers' Reserve Corps in training at Camp Oglethorpe was held there, and probably represented the largest body of military medical and surgical men ever brought together, something over 5,000 men, with all equipment, being in the line. A full regiment of doctors, besides enlisted men, attendants and non-commissioned officers passed the reviewing stand. In the train thirty-five wagons; thirty-six mule-drawn and twelve motor ambulances, not to mention automobiles, motorcycles and other vehicles. It took the parade over three-quarters of an hour to pass the reviewing point, where stood the camp commander, Col. Henry Page; Col. E. L. Munson and other officers of the U.S. Army, and the two representatives of the Allies, who were enthusiastic over the appearance of the corps. Colonel Duclere declares that it was the most remarkable showing that he had ever seen, not only as to the number of medical men in the line, but for the military proficiency displayed by a body of men most of whom had had so little actual military training. On Aug. 27 more than 2,000 medical officers left this camp, to be placed in the cantonments where the men of the National Army are soon to begin their training to make up the grand Army that will represent this nation in the death struggle that is to come.

THE ARMY.

ARMY NOMINATIONS AND CONFIRMATIONS.

For the nominations and confirmations of Aug. 23, see pages 32, 33.

ORDERS RECEIVED TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

S.O. 195, AUG. 22, 1917, WAR DEPT.
Following officers are detailed as members of the General Staff Corps and to Washington: Col. D. W. Ketcham, C.A.O.; Lieut. Col. E. D. Anderson, Cav.; Major M. E. Locke, 8th P.A.; Major R. E. Wyllie, C.A.C., D.O.L.; Major U. S. Grant, 8d, C.E.; Capt. D. McCoach, jr., 8th Engrs. (Mounted); Capt. A. W. Lane, Inf., D.O.L.; Capt. W. B. Graham, Q.M.C.; Capt. F. H. Sheridan, 5th Cav.

Officers to Washington and report to Chief of Staff for duty in his office: Lieut. Col. J. J. Bradley, 48th Inf.; Capt. R. Whitfield, Inf., D.O.L.

The names of Major R. E. Wyllie, C.A.C., and Capt. A. W. Lane, Inf., are removed from D.O.L.
Majors, Field Art., Nat. Army, to places named as Div. O.O.: H. T. Burgin to Palo Alto, Cal., 41st Div.; L. D. Booth to Greenville, S.C., 30th Div.

Capt. L. R. Ball, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the State Agricultural College of Colorado, Fort Collins, Colo.

Capt. H. W. Sibert, C.E., is assigned to 2d Engrs. for duty. Capt. M. J. Young, C.E., is assigned to 8th Engrs., El Paso, Texas, for duty.

Capt. A. L. Ganahl, C.E., is assigned to 9th Engrs., El Paso, Texas, for duty.

Capt. D. A. Davison is assigned to 5th Engrs., Corpus Christi, Texas, for duty.

Officers of Field Artillery, National Army, to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., 76th Div. for duty: Lieut. Col. P. W. Stopford, with Heavy Field Art.; N. B. Rehkopf, with Light Art., and R. M. Danford, with Light Art.; Majors C. D. Winn, with Heavy Field Art.; G. M. Peek, as division O.O.; A. M. Pope, as brigade adjt.; depot brigade; H. F. Marr, with Light Art.

Capt. A. H. Acher, C.E., from 4th Engrs. to Seattle, Wash., and take station.

Officers of Nat. Army to Louisville, Ky., 84th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. J. B. W. Corey, F.A., with Light Art.; G. Ordway, F.A., with Heavy Field Art.; W. P. Jones, F.A., with Light Art.; T. C. Martin, F.A., with Light Art.; J. D. Watson, F.A., with Heavy Field Art.; G. E. Turner, F.A., as division O.O.; W. J. Davis, Inf., as brigade adjt., depot brigade.

Officers of Nat. Army to Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Div., for duty: Lieut. Col. D. W. Hand, F.A., with Light Art.; P. W. Guiney, Inf., as division O.O.; Majors F. W. Stewart, F.A., with Light Art.; J. L. Benedict, F.A., as brigade adjt., depot brigade; A. W. Chilton, Inf., as division O.O.

Officers of Nat. Army to Fort Sam Houston, 90th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. L. V. Coleman, F.A., with Heavy Field Art.; Major J. G. Winter, Cav., as division O.O.; Major R. G. Kirkwood, F.A., with Light Art.; Major W. P. Platt, F.A., with Heavy Field Art.

Officers of O.D., Nat. Army, to Frankford Arsenal, Pa., for duty: Capt. R. R. Kennedy, E. P. Rudolf, F. J. Wensinger and M. Christopher; 1st Lieut. O. W. Hancock, H. S. Bergen, G. B. Franzheim, R. C. Barton, J. F. Hynes, L. B. Iglamer, A. F. Chester and H. F. Kline. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Ordinance officers, Nat. Army, to Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, N.Y., for duty: Capt. F. A. McMahon, C. B. Shreve, G. N. H. Clement, P. M. Giesy, H. Nickerson, T. M. Yoder, F. T. Addington, C. E. Hall, F. O. Cooke, S. K. Plume, E. Lewis, J. B. McLennan, H. E. Minton and T. H. Havlin; 1st Lieut. H. K. Cummings, A. W. Quinn, W. M. Cummings, G. W. Watkins, W. B. Fural, D. B. Bennett, L. M. Rohde, E. F. Trainor, P. H. Senior, A. E. Bernhard, K. E. Wallach, A. C. F. Freund, G. W. Curtis, R. S. Palmer, H. W. Brooks, A. C. F. Toussaint, H. S. Broe, V. A. Wilkenson, H. A. Pasick, I. M.

Gillen, H. W. Osgood, D. O. Daube, O. L. Cook and D. S. Bradford.

Officers of O.D., Nat. Army, to Frankford Arsenal, Pa., for duty: Capt. H. B. Anderson, J. A. Long and J. Robert; 1st Lieut. F. B. Snider, C. G. Neal, H. A. Martin, W. L. Oliver, J. B. Nicklin, jr., and L. B. Brown.

Officers of O.D., Nat. Army, to Watervliet Arsenal, Watervliet, N.Y., for duty: Capt. W. Henderson, jr., R. G. McKinney, R. C. Shaw and C. L. Beckwith; 1st Lieut. E. O. Grenier, G. R. Selligman, W. P. Roberts, E. W. Thomas, E. A. Miller, jr., M. R. Taggart, T. L. Horn and W. W. Pickaley.

Officers of O.D., Nat. Army, to Frankford Arsenal, Pa., for duty: Capt. D. H. DeLapp, H. E. Johnson, J. C. Johnson and E. G. Flaig; 1st Lieut. J. H. Swan, G. H. Laughlin, C. H. Hre, N. S. Boot, V. G. DeCamp, V. M. Hollepetter, J. E. Walters, D. P. Carpenter and E. S. Catlin.

Officers of O.D., Nat. Army, to Watervliet Arsenal, N.Y., for duty: Capt. M. M. Cochran, H. G. Martin, F. A. Schousak and F. A. Rikard; 1st Lieut. C. E. Boyle, O. K. Wright, W. F. French, Jr., D. Williams, W. F. Mals, J. A. Brown, J. Forrester, jr., and E. R. Baird.

Par. 65, S.O. 127, War D., June 2, 1917, is amended so as to direct Capt. J. M. Wright, C.E., after his arrival in United States, to proceed to Washington for duty.

Major W. T. McMillan, Inf., Nat. Army, to Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, as division adjt.

Officers of O.D., Nat. Army, to Frankford Arsenal, Pa., for duty: Capt. D. H. Marling, N. E. Strickland, F. E. DuBois and W. D. Rosenkrantz; 1st Lieut. D. W. Huston, G. A. Dunagin, E. V. Reed, W. G. Hynds, E. L. Hines, jr., B. O'C. Childs, R. Thraasher and E. E. Ransom.

Officers of Nat. Army to Battle Creek, Mich., 85th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. W. Bryden, F.A., to Light Art.; Majors A. L. Keesling, F.A., to Heavy Field Art.; H. D. Higley, F.A., to Light Art.; L. R. Dougherty, F.A., to Light Art., and W. F. Robinson, jr., Inf., as brigade adjt., depot brigade.

S.O. 196, AUG. 23, 1917, WAR DEPT.

Brig. Gen. F. H. Albright, Nat. Army, to Ayer, Mass., and assume command of 1st Infantry Brigade.

Brig. Gen. E. Wittenmeyer, Nat. Army, to Camp Upton, Yaphank, N.Y., 77th Div., for assignment to 153d Inf. Brigade.

Lieut. Col. I. L. Hunt, J.A.G. Dept., to Petersburg, Va., 80th Div., as division J.A.

Lieut. Col. J. Canby, Q.M.C., to Washington for duty.

Lieut. Col. W. Howell, J.A.G.D., to Greenville, S.C., 30th Div., as division J.A.

Lieut. Col. J. A. Howze, J.A.G.D., to Yaphank, N.Y., 77th Div., as division J.A.

Lieut. Col. E. K. Massee, J.A.G.D., to Ayer, Mass., 76th Div., as division J.A.

Major B. W. Mills, Jr., Mil. Av., S.C., to Governors Island, N.Y., for duty.

Major G. V. Strong, J.A.G.D., to American Lake, Wash., 91st Div., as division J.A.

Major E. C. McNeil, J.A.G.D., to Fort Sam Houston, 90th Div., as division J.A.

The leave granted Major W. N. Michel, Field Art., on account of sickness, is extended twenty-five days.

Major S. F. Dutton, Q.M.C., San Francisco, to duty as assistant to department Q.M., Western Dept.

Major F. A. Donat, O.D., relieved from detail in that department and is detailed in the grade of captain as a member of the General Staff Corps.

Major H. J. Turney, Ohio N.G., to Montgomery, Ala., 37th Div., as division J.A.

Major G. L. Qualies, M.C., to Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Div., for duty.

Major T. J. Leary, M.C., to Columbia, S.O., 81st Div., for duty.

Capt. W. H. Britton, C.E., in addition to other duties, will report to commanding general, Hawaiian Dept., for duty as engineer, relieving Lieut. Col. R. B. Raymond, C.E.

Capt. L. S. Eckels, M.C., to Washington for duty.

Capt. G. B. Comly, Cav., D.O.L., will report to The A.G. of Army for duty in his office.

Capt. W. W. West, jr., (Cav.), Q.M.C., to Washington for duty.

Capt. F. H. Miles, jr., Field Art., is detailed for service and to fill vacancy in the grade of major in O.D., Aug. 23, 1917.

Major E. S. Benton, retired, detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Tennessee, Knoxville.

Capt. R. L. Spence, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics, North Georgia Agricultural College, Dahlonega.

First lieutenants of Dental Corps to duty as follows: H. E. Albaugh to Chillicothe, Ohio; H. M. Tarpley to Fort Monroe, Va.; E. R. Danforth to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.; H. T. Dean to Fort Riley, Kas.

Chaplain A. R. Hedstrom, 1st Engrs., is temporarily attached to 2d Engrs. upon arrival of 2d Engrs. in Washington. Upon arrival of 2d Engrs. abroad Chaplain Hedstrom will join proper regiment.

Following officers to Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal., 41st Div., for duty: Col. H. J. Jerey, 6th Engrs., to 66th Field Art. Brigade; Col. R. Coulter, jr., 10th Pa. Inf., to 81st Inf. Brigade; Col. E. Vollrath, Ohio N.G., to 66th Depot Brigade; Col. E. A. Woodward, Utah N.G., to 80th Inf. Brigade; Lieut. Col. H. M. McLean, F.A., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major H. H. White, F.A., Nat. Army, as division adjt.; Major A. L. Singleton, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff.

First Lieut. F. N. Iglehart and C. Hackett, Av. Sec., S.O. R.C., to report in person to Chief S.O. of Army for duty.

Captains of M.C. to places specified to command base hospitals: M. A. Dailey, Base Hosp. No. 3 (Mount Sinai Hospital), New York, N.Y.; C. E. McBrayer, Base Hosp. No. 24 (Tulane University), New Orleans, La.; A. E. Schlanser, Base Hosp. No. 31 (Youngstown Hospital), Youngstown, Ohio; R. G. DeVoe, Base Hosp. No. 34 (Episcopal Hospital), Philadelphia, Pa.

ARMY REGULATIONS.

CHANGES NO. 59, AUG. 10, 1917, WAR DEPT.

These made changes in Para. 377, 378, 385, 521, 733, 1009, 15124, and the heading under Article XLII, Army Regulations, and Para. 208½ and 448½ are added.

Para. 377, 378 and 385 relate to salutes to colors, which are made to conform to the latest edition of the Infantry D.R. Para. 521 relates to the purchase of supplies; 733 relates to reimbursement of actual expenses; 1009 and 15124 relate to record cards of soldiers; 208½ refers to mail orders, and 448½ is as follows:

448½. The Corps of Engineers is charged with photographic work and records pertaining to terrestrial reconnaissance, surveying, map making, map production, and such special photographic work as may be assigned thereto. The Signal Corps is charged with photographic work and records pertaining to aerial reconnaissance, and such special photographic work as may be assigned thereto. The General Staff Corps is charged with photographic work and records pertaining to the military history of campaigns and of field operations in general, and for this purpose will make use of any available agency existing within the respective tactical commands, such as Engineer or Signal Corps photographers, or will employ official civilian photographers therefor, as circumstances may warrant.

ARMY TRANSPORT SERVICE REGULATIONS.

CHANGES NO. 15, AUG. 18, 1917, WAR DEPT.

Par. 212½ is added to the United States Army Transport Service Regulations, 1914.

212½. Under war conditions, where secrecy is desired, the general superintendent of transports at ports of embarkation shall cause all Army vessels loaded with troops or supplies to move about harbors without undue publicity. Whenever possible or practicable troopships loaded with their troops shall be moved to or from berths or anchored by night instead of day.

If necessity requires movement by daylight the commanding officer of troops shall be instructed to hold his men below deck or within deck superstructures, so as to prevent any undue concentration of men on deck to attract public attention. Signals by flags or whistle should not be exchanged, save such as are necessary for safe navigation. (C.A.T.S.R. No. 15, Aug. 18, 1917.)

By order of the Secretary of War:

H. L. Scott, Major Gen., Chief of Staff.

Official: H. P. McCain, The Adjutant General.

G.O. 103, AUG. 6, 1917, WAR DEPT.

I.—The Columbia War Hospital, Bainbridge avenue and

Gun Hill road, New York, N.Y., which was accepted by the War Department on June 26, 1917, will be organized as a general hospital and is designated the United States Army General Hospital No. 1.

II.—Brig. Gen. Adelbert Cronkhite, United States Army, will assume command of the Panama Canal Department, relieving Brig. Gen. Edward H. Plummer, United States Army, who, after being thus relieved, will proceed to the United States and upon arrival report by telegraph to The Adjutant General of the Army for further orders.

III.—1. The President directs that there be organized for the period of the existing emergency, the enlisted strength being raised and maintained by voluntary enlistment or draft, an Enlisted Ordnance Corps, National Army, of the following personnel: Ordnance sergeants, 2,800; sergeants, first class, 400; sergeants, 2,000; corporals, 3,600; cooks, 400; privates, first class, 3,600; privates, 7,200; total, 20,000.

2. All members of the Ordnance Enlisted Reserve Corps now in active service will be transferred to the Enlisted Ordnance Corps, National Army, as of date of this order; those not in active service will be transferred under authority of this order, upon being called to active service. Notation of transfer, and in the case of non-commissioned officers of continuance of warrant, will be made on the individual records of all enlisted men transferred. This authority will not be construed to authorize any enlistments in the Enlisted Reserve Corps in excess of those already authorized.

H. P. McCain, The Adjutant General.

G.O. 104, AUG. 7, WAR DEPT.

I.—The Aeronautical Experiment Station, Langley Field, Hampton, Va., is announced as a permanent military station and designated "Langley Field, Va."

II.—Troops will turn in to the quartermaster upon arrival in the tropics all woolen clothing in their possession and will be furnished with cotton clothing in lieu thereof.

III.—The post and military reservation of Fort Thomas, Ky., is turned over to The Adjutant General of the Army for use as a general recruiting depot, and will be known hereafter as the Recruit Depot, Fort Thomas, Ky.

IV.—The monetary allowance for small arms ammunition as prescribed by section 4 (a), General Orders, No. 18, War Department, 1917, is increased by \$3.90 for each expert rifleman who fires the required course for qualification.

V.—Brig. Gen. John P. Wisner, retired, is placed on active military duty, and will proceed to Honolulu, Hawaii, and assume command of the Hawaiian Department.

Brig. Gen. Charles G. Treat is relieved from duty in the Hawaiian Department to take effect upon the arrival of that department of Brig. Gen. John P. Wisner, and will then proceed to the United States for further orders.

VI.—1. The President directs that there be organized for the period of the existing emergency, the enlisted strength thereof being raised and maintained by voluntary enlistment or draft, a Graves Registration Service, Quartermaster Corps.

2. The officers of this section will be provided in the manner authorized by the third paragraph of section 1 and section 9 of the Act of Congress approved May 18, 1917.

3. The following commissioned and enlisted strength in grade shown is authorized for each unit: 1 captain, 1 second lieutenant, 1 first sergeant, 3 quartermaster sergeants, senior grade, 1 mess sergeant, 1 supply sergeant, 4 sergeants, 5 corporals, 1 mechanic, 4 wagoners, 1 cook, 7 privates, first class, 32 privates; transportation, 4 escort wagons, 18 draft mules.

G.O. 13, AUG. 20, 1917, SOUTHERN DEPT.

Bakery Companies Nos. 41 and 42 will be organized at Fort McPherson, Ga., on Aug. 25, 1917, by transfers from the bakery companies now in this department.

G.O. 14, AUG. 21, 1917, SOUTHERN DEPT.

Col. Frederic D. Evans is relieved from duty as adjutant of this department to enable him to comply with War Department orders.

G.O. 53, AUG. 9, 1917, SOUTHERN DEPT.

I. * * * Par. 1, G.O. 47, as these headquarters, is amended to designate recently organized units of Sanitary Train, Fort Clark, Texas, as follows:

Ambulance Company and Field Hospital Company No. 29 as Ambulance Company and Field Hospital Company No. 27, Ambulance Company and Field Hospital Company Nos. 28 and 30 as Ambulance Company and Field Hospital Company Nos. 24 and 26, respectively.

II.—1. Athletics in Southern Department will be placed on an organized basis, and systematized in conjunction with the Y.M.C.A. and War Recreation Committee.

2. First Lieut. Paul C. Raborg, Cav., aide-de-camp, is hereby appointed director of athletics.

3. The director of athletics will also work in conjunction with the Y.M.C.A. and War Recreation Committee.

II.—Isolated detachments and patrols, when stationed or sent beyond supporting distance from their commands in the vicinity of the border, will not be less than sixteen men. Isolated detachments will in all cases intrench. Circular trenches, or several trenches so placed as to protect the detachments from all possible directions of attack, will be constructed in each case. Protection from surprise attack may be increased by building a second wall outside of the tent wall and filling the interspace with earth or sand bags, thus making the wall impervious to bullets.

By command of Brigadier General Parker.
MALVERN HILL BARNUM, C.G.S., C. of S.

G.O. 32, AUG. 20, 1917, WESTERN DEPT.

Major Richard Park, C.E., in addition to his other duties at these headquarters, is detailed as acting chief of staff of the department.

By command of Major General Liggett:
H. H. WHITNEY, Col., A.G., Dept. Adjutant.

G.O. 3, AUG. 24, 1917, SOUTH PACIFIC C.A. DIST.

By virtue of seniority the undersigned assumes command of the South Pacific Coast Artillery District.

E. M. BLAKE, Col., Coast Art. Corps.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

BRIG. GEN. H. P. MCCAIN, A.G.

Col. Henry O. S. Holstead, A.G., to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Division, duty as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

INSPECTOR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

BRIG. GEN. JOHN L. CHAMBERLAIN, I.G.

Major Godwin Ordway, I.G., to El Paso, Texas, as district inspector. (Aug. 4, S.D.)

JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT.

BRIG. GEN. E. H. CROWDER, J.A.G.

Lieut. Col. Herbert A. White, J.A., from Panama Canal Department to Washington for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

QUARTERMASTER CORPS.

MAJOR GEN. H. G. SHARPE, Q.M.C.

Capt. Launcelot M. Purcell, Q.M.C., Fort Sam Houston, to Fort Worth, Texas, Camp Bowie, relieving Capt. James H. Proctor, Q.M.O.R.C., who will report to Captain Purcell for duty as his assistant. (July 22, S.D.)

Capt. John P. Hasson, Q.M.C., Fort McIntosh, to Camp Douglas, Fort Sill, Okla., for duty as camp Q.M. (Aug. 4, S.D.)

Capt. Ralph Talbot, jr., Q.M.C., to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Benjamin F. Miller, Q.M.C., to Washington for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Franklin S. Leisenring, Q.M.C., to duty at Greenville, S.C., Camp Sevier, as Q.M. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Lieut. Col. A. W. Kimball, Q.M.C., to Baltimore, charge of general depot, Q.M.C., to be established. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Marcel S. Keene, Q.M.C., report in person to commanding general, Southeastern Department, for duty as his assistant. (Aug. 19, War D.)

Second Lieut. Hans C. Johansen, Q.M.C., N.A., will report

by wire to commanding general, Central Department, for assignment with a bakery company. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major Henry L. Steele, Q.M.C., to Los Angeles, Cal., assume charge of the general depot of Q.M.C. at that place, relieving Lieut. Col. Ralph S. Granger, Q.M.C. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Fred L. Munson, Q.M.C., to Washington. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. J. J. Palmer, Q.M.C., to duty at Washington Bks., D.C., for relieving Capt. W. H. Point, Q.M.C. (Aug. 21, War D.)

The following assignments of officers of Q.M.C. are ordered: Capt. T. M. Knox to Little Rock, Ark., Camp Pike, to duty as camp Q.M.; Capt. E. H. Andros to Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, to duty as camp Q.M. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Sergeant 1st Class Louis W. Perry, Q.M.C., Fort Myer, Va., to duty at present station. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Q.M. Sergt. Leonard Vogel, Q.M.C. (appointed Aug. 15, 1917, from sergeant, 26th Recruit Co.), Columbus Bks., to duty at present station. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Field Clerk J. Gately, Q.M.C., to duty at Baltimore, Md. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Q.M. Sergt. F. Hobson, Q.M.C. (appointed Aug. 21, 1917, from sergeant, Q.M.C.), now at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., to duty as chief baker with Bakery Co. No. 17, that post. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Q.M. Sergt. John C. Mooney, Q.M.C. (appointed Aug. 9, 1917, from sergeant, Q.M.C.), to Fort Logan H. Roots, Ark., for duty. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Sergeants 1st Class C. C. French, Q.M.C.; Fort H. G. Wright, N.Y.; M. E. Doyle, Q.M.C., Syracuse, N.Y., and L. B. Hanks, Q.M.C., Fort Hamilton, N.Y., to duty at present stations. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Sergeant George Grimes, Q.M.C., Fort Riley, to duty as chief baker, Bakery Co. No. 26, with grade of Q.M. sergeant, Q.M.C. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Q.M. Sergt. V. L. Lamy, Q.M.C. (appointed Aug. 13, 1917, from sergeant, Q.M.C.), now at Fort Thomas, Ky., to duty at present station. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Q.M. Sergt. Theodore Hunsman, Q.M.C. (appointed Aug. 14, 1917, from sergeant, 11th Recruit Co.), Columbus Bks., Ohio, to duty at present station. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Q.M. Sergt. Frank Dunn, Q.M.C. (appointed Aug. 9, 1917, from sergeant, Q.M.C.), now at Fort Omaha, Neb., to duty at present station. (Aug. 20, War D.)

The following Q.M. sergeants, Q.M.C., appointed from sergeant, Q.M.C., to rank from Aug. 18, 1917, now with the bakery companies mentioned after their respective names, are assigned to duty as chief bakers of these companies: Noah Rutherford, Bakery Co. No. 15, Gettysburg, Pa.; Manuel V. Daven, Bakery Co. No. 19, Syracuse, N.Y.; Nick Gross, Bakery Co. No. 7, Gettysburg, Pa.; Harry Lott, Bakery Co. No. 18, Syracuse, N.Y.; Alford H. Barrett, Bakery Co. No. 4, Fort Sam Houston, Texas; George Halpin, Bakery Co. No. 29, Fort Sill, Okla.; Noel Large, Bakery Co. No. 31, Leon Springs, Texas; Fred E. Smith, Bakery Co. No. 32, Waco, Texas; Alford Southern, Bakery Co. No. 40, Deming, N.M.; William J. Hart, Bakery Co. No. 30, Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Texas; John Gannon, Bakery Co. No. 8, Douglas, Ariz.; Emil J. Nuess, Bakery Co. No. 33, Fort Worth, Texas; Joseph L. Darby, Bakery Co. No. 34, Houston, Texas; Henry Trumphour, Bakery Co. No. 12, Fort Bliss, Texas. (Aug. 17, War D.)

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

MEDICAL CORPS.

MAJOR GEN. W. C. GORGAS, S.G.

Officers of M.C. to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. George M. Ekwursel and John W. Hanner. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, 90th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Robert H. Pierson and Paul S. Halloran. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Upton, Yaphank, Long Island, N.Y., 77th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Charles R. Reynolds and Major Alvin W. Schoenleber. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., 82d Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Conrad E. Koepfer and Major William T. Cade, jr. (Aug. 20, War D.)

The following lieutenant colonels, Med. Corps, will proceed to the places below named for duty as chief surgeons of their divisions: Craig E. Snyder to Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., 29th Div.; Louis O. Duncan to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Div.; Levy M. Hathaway to Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, 33d Div.; Jacob M. Coffin to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 34th Div.; Wilson T. Widson to Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla., 35th Div.; William T. Smart to Camp Baguadad, Alexandria, La., 36th Div.; Phillip W. Huntington to Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Div.; James M. Phalen to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Div.; John L. Shepard to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas., 89th Div.; Orville G. Brown to Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal., 41st Div. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., 84th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. John H. Allen and Major Luther E. Pount. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Llewellyn P. Williamson, M.C., to duty at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Major Ernest G. Bingham, M.C., is designated C.O. medical officers' training camp, at Fort Des Moines. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Major Guy V. Rucke, M.C., Plattsburg, N.Y., to Fort Porter, N.Y., assuming command of Base Hospital No. 2. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Shelley U. Marietta, M.C., to Fort Clark, Texas, for duty as C.O., Field Hospital No. 28. (July 25, S.D.)

Capt. George B. Lake, M.C., Fort Clark, Texas, to duty as C.O., Field Hospital No. 29. (July 25, S.D.)

Capt. Hiram A. Phillips, M.C., to Detroit, Mich., assuming command of Base Hospital No. 36. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Harry R. Beery, M.C., to Indianapolis, Ind., assuming command of Base Hospital No. 32. (Aug. 18, War D.)

First Lieut. Frederick E. Thode, M.C., to Fort Clark, Texas, for duty as C.O., Field Hospital No. 30. (July 25, S.D.)

First Lieutenants of M.C. to stations as follows to command ambulance companies named: Roy M. Fortier to Fort Clark, Texas, No. 28; Harvard C. Moore to Fort Clark, Texas, No. 29; Charles W. Riley to Fort Clark, Texas, No. 30. (July 25, S.D.)

Col. Charles Lynch, M.C., to Base Hospital No. 2, El Paso, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Patrick H. McAndrew, M.C., at Fort Bliss, to Fort William H. Seward, Alaska, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Frank W. Weed, M.C., to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas., 89th Division, as sanitary inspector. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., 87th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Robert M. Thornburgh, chief surgeon; Major Charles E. Freeman, sanitary inspector. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Lieutenant colonels of Medical Corps to Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Division, duty: Samuel J. Morris, as sanitary inspector; Wallace DeWitt, as chief surgeon. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Robert M. Blanchard, M.C., to Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., 88th Division, duty as chief surgeon. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., 80th Division, duty: Lieut. Col. Charles E. Moore, as chief surgeon; Major Henry P. Carter as sanitary inspector. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., 91st Division, duty: Lieut. Col. Lloyd L. Smith as sanitary inspector; Major Robert H. Pierson, M.C., to Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty as division sanitary inspector. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Majors of M.C. to camps opposite their names for duty as division sanitary inspectors, Nat. Army: John W. Hanner, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.; William A. Powell, Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Major Earl H. Bruns, M.C., to Washington for duty. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Major Frank W. Weed, M.C., to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, as division sanitary inspector, Nat. Army. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to the camps indicated opposite their names for duty as division sanitary inspectors, Nat. Army: Major Howard H. Bailey, Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill.; Major Charles E. Freeman, Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark.; Major Philip W. Huntington, Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md.; Major Samuel J. Morris, Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio; Major Lloyd L. Smith, Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash.; Major Thomas J. Leary, Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C.; Capt. Guy L. Qualls, Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Captains of M.C. to duty at camps named as division sanitary inspectors, Nat. Army: William T. Cade, jr., Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga.; Harry P. Carter, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.; Clarence E. Frank, Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa; Luther R. Pount, Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky.; Alvin W. Schoenleber, Camp Upton, Yaphank, N.Y. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Inspector; Major Peter C. Field as chief surgeon. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to duty at Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa, 88th Division: Lieut. Col. Jay R. Shock as chief surgeon; Major Clarence E. Frank as sanitary inspector. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., 85th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. William A. Powell as sanitary inspector; Cosam J. Bartlett as chief surgeon.

Lieutenant colonels of M.C. to recruit depot specified after his name for duty: Powell C. Fauntleroy, Fort McDowell, Cal.; Joseph T. Clarke, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; Allen M. Smith, Fort Logan, Colo.; Francis M. C. Usher, Fort Slocum, N.Y. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Lieut. Col. George A. Skinner, M.C., from Nogales, Ariz., to San Antonio, Base Hosp. 1, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.C. to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., 76th Division, duty: Major Joseph L. Siner as sanitary inspector; Major Llewellyn P. Williamson as chief surgeon. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. William K. Bartlett, M.C., to Walter Reed General Hospital, Takoma Park, D.C., treatment. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. William Denton, M.C., to station and duty at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt. (Aug. 21, War D.)

The following lieutenant colonels, M.C., to duty as chief surgeons at camps named: Perry L. Boyer to Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, 32d Div.; Raymond F. Metcalfe to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Div.; Kent Nelson to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C., 81st Div.; Alexander Murray to Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal., 40th Div.; Major Arthur M. Whaley to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C., 30th Div., as chief surgeon. (Aug. 20, War D.)

DENTAL CORPS.

First Lieut. Albert S. Cumming and Harry E. Smalley, D.C., to duty at Syracuse, N.Y., reorganization camp. (Aug. 22, War D.)

VETERINARY CORPS.

Second Lieut. Alfred G. Gierke and Horace Z. Homer, assistant veterinarians, to Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., for duty with 18th Cavalry. (Aug. 22, War D.)

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE.

Surg. William C. Rucker, Public Health Service, to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

SANITARY CORPS.

Capt. John F. Krauser, San. Corps, to duty at Fort Mason, S.F., Cal. (Aug. 17, War D.)

First Lieut. Harvard D. Moyer, San. Corps, to duty at Field Medical Supply Depot, Washington. (Aug. 18, War D.)

First Lieut. Daniel Millen, San. Corps, to Newport News, Va. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieut. John McKee, San. Corps, to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C., as medical supply officer of division and property officer of base hospital at Camp Sevier. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieut. Gustave Fonteyne, San. Corps, to Camp Green, Charlotte, N.C., as medical supply officer of the division and property officer of base hospital. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieut. Patrick Haughey, San. Corps, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., as medical supply officer of the division and property officer of the base hospital at Camp Dix. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major James Ten Broeck Bowles, S.C., to duty at Washington. (Aug. 22, War D.)

SERGEANTS, MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Master Hospital Sergt. Otto F. Freese, Med. Dept., will be placed upon the retired list at Watertown Arsenal, Mass., Sept. 8, 1917. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Sergt. 1st Class John R. Flynn, Med. Dept., will be placed upon the retired list at Fort Bliss, Texas, Sept. 8, 1917; he will be assigned to active duty Sept. 4, at Fort Bliss. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Sergt. 1st Class James F. McKay, Med. Dept., to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., for duty. (Aug. 6, C.D.)

Sergt. 1st Class Nathan Markowitz, Med. Dept., to Fort Riley for duty. (Aug. 6, C.D.)

CORPS OF ENGINEERS.

BRIG. GEN. W. M. BLACK, C.E.

Lieut. Col. Jay J. Morrow, C.E., from duty with the Panama Canal to the 4th Engineers, Vancouver Bks., and join. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Spencer Cooby, C.E., assigned to 5th Engineers, and will join. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Lieut. Col. James P. Jervey, C.E., assigned to 304th Engineers, Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Division, for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Robert R. Raymond, C.E., assigned to 313th Engrs., Camp Dodge, Des Moines, 88th Division, for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Lieut. Col. William B. Ladue, C.E., assigned to 314th Engrs., Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas., 89th Division, for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Lieut. Col. William J. Barden, C.E., assigned to 111th Engrs., Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Division, for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Clarke S. Smith, C.E., assigned to 311th Engrs., Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Division, for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Earl I. Brown, C.E., assigned to 307th Engrs., Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., 82d Division, for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Col. Clement A. F. Flagler, C.E., is assigned to 7th Engineers and will proceed, upon the expiration of the leave heretofore granted him, without delay to Fort Leavenworth, Kas., to join his regiment. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Lieut. Col. Meriwether L. Walker, C.E., from assignment to 7th Engineers and is assigned to 16th Engineers; he will proceed to Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal., 41st Division, for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major Edward D. Ardery, C.E., from duty and station in New York, N.Y., to Norfolk, Va. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Major Henry H. Robert, C.E., assigned to 4th Engrs., Vancouver Bks., Wash. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Majors Lewis M. Adams and James G. Steese, C.E., are assigned to 7th Engrs. for duty. (Aug. 23, War D.)

The following majors, Corps of Engrs., are assigned to Engineer regiment for duty as follows:

W. L. Hannum to 309th, Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., 84th Div.

W. T. Guthrie to 308th, Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Div.

R. B. Ralston to 306th, Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C., 81st Div.

J. B. Slattery to 312th, Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., 87th Div.

C. O. Sherrill to 302d, Camp Upton, Yaphank, Long Island, N.Y., 77th Div.

E. M. Markham to 303d, Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Div.

G. R. Spalding to 305th, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.; 80th Div.

W. G. Caples to 310th, Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., 85th Div.

H. C. Jewett to 316th, Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., 91st Div.

F. A. Pope to 30th, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., 76th Div. (Aug. 20, War D.)

4TH ENGINEERS.

Mass Sergt. Stonewall J. Webster, Co. D, 4th Engrs., is placed upon retired list at Vancouver Bks., Wash., and will repair to his home. (Aug. 15, War D.)

8TH ENGINEERS.

Capt. Donald H. Connolly, 8th Engrs. (Mounted), will report by telegraph to Major Gen. John F. Morrison for duty as aid on his staff. (Aug. 18, War D.)

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

BRIG. GEN. W. O. ROZIER, C.O.

First Lieut. Leslie S. Solar, O.D., Nat. Army, to duty at Springfield, Mass. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. C. J. Vogt (appointed Aug. 17, 1917, from sergeant, C.A.C., 4th Co., Fort Andrews, Mass.), to duty at Fort Warren, Mass. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. M. J. Higgins (appointed Aug. 17, 1917, from sergeant, C.A.C., 3d Co., Fort Andrews, Mass.), to port of embarkation, Newport News, Va., for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. C. Weppman (appointed Aug. 17, 1917, from first sergeant, C.A.C., 1st Co., Fort Rodman, Mass.), to port of embarkation, Newport News, Va., for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. B. Handel, Fort Warren, Mass., to port of embarkation, Newport News, Va., for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. John L. Hobson (appointed Aug. 17, 1917, from sergeant, C.A.C., 1st Co., Fort Totten, N.Y.) to port of embarkation, Newport News, Va., for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. James Cooper (appointed Aug. 17, 1917, from sergeant, C.A.C., 3d Co., Fort Greble, R.I.) to port of embarkation, Newport News, Va., for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. Horace Brooks (appointed Aug. 16, 1917, from sergeant, C.A.C., 1st Co., Fort Strong) to duty in Coast Defense of Boston. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Ord. Sergt. Lloyd V. Grover (appointed Aug. 21, 1917, from sergeant, C.A.C., unassigned), Fort Sheridan, Ill., to Fort Riley for duty. (Aug. 22, War D.)

SIGNAL CORPS.

BRIG. GEN. G. O. SQUIER, S.C.

Capt. Hollis Le R. Muller and Harold Geiger, Av. Sec., S.C., are rated as junior military aviators. (Aug. 20, War D.)

The following officers are detailed for service and to fill vacancies in the A.G.D.: Major Louis S. Chappaz, C.A.C., and Edgar T. Conley, Inf. The officers named are relieved from their present duties and will repair to Washington at once. (Aug. 20, War D.)

The following promotions and reduction in the Signal Corps are announced: To be master signal electrician: Sergt 1st Class Jacob Piotrowski, to date Aug. 8, 1917. To be sergeants: Corps, Howard Waterman, Roy W. Collier, Joseph P. Fountain, William Smith and Lucian A. Massie, to date Aug. 16, 1917; Pvt. 1st Class Walter Johnston, Aug. 16, 1917, and Pvt. William McGill Smith, May 17, 1917. (Aug. 16, C.S.O.)

First Lieut. Joseph V. Burne, Av. Sec., S.O.R.C., to duty at Fort Sill, Okla., School for Aerial Observers. (Aug. 22, War D.)

First Lieut. Allison F. H. Scott, Av. Sec., S.O.R.C., to duty at Hampton, Va. (Aug. 22, War D.)

CAVALRY.

7TH CAVALRY.

First Lieut. Donald O. Miller, 7th Cav., to Fort Yellowstone, Wyo., for duty with 7th Cavalry. (Aug. 20, War D.)

12TH CAVALRY.

Major Abraham G. Lott, 12th Cav., is detailed for service and to fill a vacancy in the A.G.D., and to Washington for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Taihot Smith, 12th Cav., will report to commanding general, Panama Canal Department, for temporary duty as department judge advocate, relieving Lieut. Col. Herbert A. White, J.A. (Aug. 20, War D.)

14TH CAVALRY.

Sergt. Michael G. Scott, 14th Cav., Eagle Pass, Texas, is transferred to the Permanent School Detachment, School for Bakers and Cooks, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., as instructor. (Aug. 21, War D.)

CAVALRY, DETACHED OFFICERS' LIST.

First Lieut. John B. Coulter, Cav., D.O.L., is relieved from duty in Eastern Dept. and is assigned to 2d Cav., Fort Myer, Va., and will join regiment. (Aug. 21, War D.)

FIELD ARTILLERY.

9TH FIELD ARTILLERY.

Second Lieut. William B. Pfeiffer, 9th Field Art. (appointed from corporal, Co. B (wire), 3d Field Battalion, Signal Corps, June 14, 1917), to Schofield Barracks, H.T., for duty. (Aug. 6, H.D.)

10TH FIELD ARTILLERY.

First Lieut. Harold E. Miner, 10th F.A., is relieved from duty in Eastern Dept. and will join regiment. (Aug. 21, War D.)

14TH FIELD ARTILLERY.

Temp. 2d Lieut. Daniel Fairbright, 14th F.A., will report in person to C.O., Walter Reed Hospital, D.C., for treatment. (Aug. 18, War D.)

19TH FIELD ARTILLERY.

Capt. Alfred L. P. Sands, 19th Field Art., to Sparta, Wis., and command the provisional recruit battalion of the 7th Field Artillery. (Aug. 22, War D.)

FIELD ARTILLERY UNASSIGNED.

Lieut. Col. Alfred A. Starbird, Field Art., is detailed as an acting inspector general, Washington. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Creed F. Cox, Field Art., to the 14th Field Artillery for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

First Lieut. William Spence, Field Art., unassigned, is assigned to the 18th Field Artillery and will join. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Walter D. Smith, F.A., to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Division, for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)

COAST ARTILLERY CORPS.

MAJOR GEN. E. M. WEAVER, C.C.A.

Col. William C. Davis, C.A.C., to Fort Barrancas, Fla., and take command of the Coast Defense of Pensacola. (Aug. 16, S.E.D.)

Capt. William C. Keenig, C.A.C., to Washington, Chief of Embarkation Service for duty in his office. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Second Lieut. William Borchardt, C.A.C., to duty Charleston, S.C. (Aug. 16, S.E.D.)

and await retirement. (Aug. 17, War D.)
 Col. Daniel L. Howell, 34th Inf., is detailed for general recruiting service at Fort Logan, Colo. (Aug. 18, War D.)

37TH INFANTRY.

First Sergt. Marcus Oiler, Co. F, 37th Inf., is placed upon the retired list at Laredo, Texas, and to home. (Aug. 18, War D.)

41ST INFANTRY.

Tem. 2d Lieut. Walter G. Champlain, 41st Inf., to Fort Snelling for duty. (Aug. 17, N.E.D.)

47TH INFANTRY.

Leave of absence for five days is granted Capt. Herbert E. Marshburn, 47th Inf. (Aug. 20, War D.)

51ST INFANTRY.

Tem. 2d Lieut. John R. White, 51st Inf., to Chickamauga Park, Ga., for duty. (Aug. 17, N.E.D.)

53D INFANTRY.

Capt. Dannie E. McCanniff, 53d Inf., to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., and report to Brig. Gen. Francis J. Kernan, duty as aid. (Aug. 20, War D.)

58TH INFANTRY.

First Sergt. C. C. Anderson, Co. C, 58th Inf., Gettysburg National Park, Pa., to Q.M. Corps and assigned to Bakery Co. No. 16 with the grade of sergeant. (Aug. 18, War D.)

60TH INFANTRY.

Col. Michael J. Lenihan, 60th Inf., is assigned to the command of 83d Infantry Brigade, Camp Albert L. Mills, Garden City, Long Island, N.Y., and assume command of that camp and of 83d Infantry Brigade; Colonel Lenihan will be accompanied by Major Wiley T. Conway, Inf. (Aug. 20, War D.)

INFANTRY, UNASSIGNED.

Col. Edmund Wittenmyer from duty as military attaché, Havana, Cuba, and from duty with the Cuban Government to the United States and report by telegraph to The A.G. for orders. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. Edward S. Hayes, Inf., unassigned, to 13th Infantry for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. Walter Krueger, Inf., Army War College, Washington, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

INFANTRY, DETACHED OFFICERS' LIST.

Col. George W. McIver, Inf., D.O.L., to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C., and proceed with the organization of the division assuming temporary command. Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Arthur J. Davis, Inf., D.O.L., to Chickamauga Park, Ga., 56th Infantry, for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

PHILIPPINE SCOUTS.

Second Lieut. Calvin S. Richards, P.S., appointed with rank from Aug. 2, 1917, will proceed to Manila on the first available transport leaving S.F. (Aug. 18, War D.)

BOARDS OF OFFICERS.

A board of officers to consist of Col. Manus McCloskey, 12th Field Art.; Col. Charles P. Summerall, Field Art., and Lieut. Col. John H. Rice, Ord. Dept., is appointed to investigate and make recommendations as to the necessity for including the 8-inch howitzer, or a corresponding type of howitzer, in the organization of the Field Artillery and in the schedule of manufacture. In case the board favors the use of this howitzer, it will recommend the proportion to be furnished and the organization to which they should be assigned. (Aug. 22, War D.)

RETIRED OFFICERS.

Col. Harvey C. Canbrough, retired, to duty Charleston, S.C. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Col. Charles C. Crane, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, Texas. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Frank O. Whitlock, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at Princeton University, Princeton, N.J. (Aug. 20, War D.)

First Lieut. Cyrus R. Street, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Arizona, Tucson, Ariz., Sept. 10. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Second Lieut. William W. Boddie, retired, is detailed as assistant professor of military science and tactics at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, College Station, Texas. (Aug. 21, War D.)

The advancement to the grade of captain on the retired list of the Army, from May 15, 1917, of 1st Lieut. Joseph W. McNeal, retired, is announced. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieut. Ernest C. Wright, P.S., retired, to active military duty, general recruiting service, Fort McDowell. (Aug. 21, War D.)

The following retired officers, U.S.A., to general recruiting service at depot specified after name: Col. Henry P. Kingsbury, Fort Slocum, N.Y.; Col. Conliffe H. Murray, Jefferson Barracks, Md. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Col. Lea Feibiger, retired, to duty Fort Thomas, Ky. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major William F. Flynn, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Major Henry S. Wrygant, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the New Hampshire College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts, Durham, N.H. (Aug. 18, War D.)

The advancement to the grade of major on the retired list of the Army, from June 15, 1917, of Capt. Robert E. Frith, retired, is announced. (Aug. 20, War D.)

The advancement to the grade of major on the retired list of the Army, from June 5, 1917, of Capt. John McA. Webster, retired, is announced. (Aug. 20, War D.)

First Lieut. Sydney Smith, retired, from recruiting duty, and is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College, Baton Rouge, La., Sept. 10, 1917. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Major William P. Stone, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va., Sept. 15. (Aug. 14, War D.)

Major Edward P. Lawton, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the University of Porto Rico, Rio Piedras, P.R., Sept. 15. (Aug. 14, War D.)

Col. John A. Lundeen, retired, at Fort Monroe, Va., will assume command temporarily of coast defenses of Chesapeake Bay and the C.A. School, in addition to his other duties. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Col. Harry C. Benson, retired, duty at San Francisco as department adjutant. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Major Arthur R. Kerwin, retired, to duty as professor of military science and tactics at University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Charles M. Allen, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the Georgia Military College, Milledgeville, Ga. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Lyman M. Welch, retired, is detailed as professor of military science and tactics at the University of California, Berkeley, Cal. (Aug. 21, War D.)

ASSIGNMENTS OF TEMPORARY SECOND LIEUTENANTS.

The following temporary second lieutenants of Infantry are assigned to regiments and stations indicated and will join:

Carl B. Strother, 6th Inf., Chickamauga Park, Ga.

Jesse S. Parker, 9th Inf., Syracuse, N.Y.

Norman B. Howes, 9th Inf., Syracuse, N.Y.

Roscoe S. Virgin, 11th Inf., Chickamauga Park, Ga.

George Munteanu, 19th Inf., Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Allen F. House, 19th Inf., Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Lewis Abbott, 21st Inf., San Diego, Cal.

William F. Longist, 23d Inf., Syracuse, N.Y.

Frank L. Munroff, 27th Inf., Laredo, Texas.

Clyde A. Lundy, 39th Inf., Syracuse, N.Y.

Wesley G. Love, 40th Inf., Fort Snelling, Minn.

Michael J. Donlon, 44th Inf., Vancouver Barracks, Wash.

Frank Webb, 45th Inf., Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

John H. Duckett, 60th Inf., Gettysburg, Pa.

William Green, 47th Inf., Syracuse, N.Y.

Allen S. Smith, 51st Inf., Chickamauga Park, Ga.

Frank Denny, 53d Inf., Chickamauga Park, Ga.

William Bateman, 56th Inf., Chickamauga Park, Ga.

Harry G. Green, 58th Inf., Gettysburg, Pa.

Jesse M. West, 58th Inf., Gettysburg, Pa.

Ernest A. Fischer, 62d Inf., Presidio of San Francisco, Cal.
 Bine Plunkett, 64th Inf., Ft. Pason, Texas.
 Jerome Mandall, 9th Inf., Syracuse, N.Y.
 John J. Pierkowski, 59th Inf., Gettysburg, Pa. (Aug. 4, S.D.)

RELIEVED FROM HAWAIIAN DEPARTMENT.

The following officers to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Division, for duty: Brig. Gen. Robert E. Steiner, 1st Inf. Brigade, Ala. N.G., to 60th Inf. Brigade; Brig. Gen. Walter A. Harris, Ga. N.G., to 61st Inf. Brigade; Col. John L. Hayden, C.A.C., to 56th Field Art. Brigade; Col. Albert H. Blanding, 2d Inf., Fla. N.G., to 56th Depot Brigade; Lieut. Col. Linwood E. Hanson, Inf., Nat. Army, to division Q.M.; Major Campbell B. Hodges, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

The resignation of Major Frank E. Sidman, 69th Inf., N.Y.N.G., is accepted. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Brigadier generals of N.G. to Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga.: Frederick W. Stillwell, 1st Brigade, Pa., to the 53d Inf. Brigade; Albert J. Logan, 2d Brigade, Pa., to the 56th Inf. Brigade; William G. Price, 3d Brigade, Pa., to the 53d P.A. Brigade; C. T. O'Neill, Pa., to the 53d Depot Brigade. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Oscar W. Underwood, jr., Ala. N.G., will proceed to Camp Albert L. Mills, Garden City, Long Island, N.Y., duty with the 42d Division. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Marshall F. Sharp, Nebr. N.G., to Camp Albert L. Mills, Garden City, N.Y., duty with the 42d Division. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Col. Charles F. Hutchins, 7th Cal. Inf., N.G., is assigned to command the mobilization camp at Arcadia, Cal. (Aug. 17, Western D.)

TRANSFERS.

The following transfers at the request of officers concerned, are ordered: Capt. Walter C. Gullion, 42d Inf., to 20th; Capt. Rufus S. Bratton, 20th Inf., to 42d. Each officer will join. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. Charles B. Lyman, 12th Inf., is transferred to 50th Infantry and will join. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Transfers at request of officers concerned: Capt. Courtney H. Hodges, 51st Inf., to 6th; Capt. Hans H. W. Herwig, 6th Inf., to 51st. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Transfers at request of officers concerned: Prov. 2d Lieut. George R. Brown, jr., 5th Inf., to 52d; Prov. 2d Lieut. William D. Kerns, 52d Inf., to 50th. (Aug. 21, War D.)

BAKERY COMPANIES.

The following assignment is made of new bakery companies now being organized in the Western Department: Bakery Co. No. 35 to Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal.; Bakery Co. No. 36 to Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal.; Bakery Co. No. 37 to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash. (Aug. 10, War D.)

TRUCK COMPANIES.

The following motor truck companies, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, will proceed overland, fully equipped, to the stations indicated for duty: To Camp Logan, Houston, Texas—Motor Truck Co. No. 35, Capt. Frank E. Frazier, Q.M.O.R.C. To Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas—Motor Truck Co. No. 15, Capt. George W. Phillips, Q.M.O.R.C. To Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas—Motor Truck Co. No. 23, Capt. Don E. Clarke, Q.M.O.R.C. (Aug. 4, S.D.)

The following officers are relieved from duty in Hawaiian Department, and will then proceed to San Francisco, and report by telegraph to The A.G. of the Army for orders: Col. Lucien G. Berry, F.A., D.O.L.; Lloyd M. Brett, Cav., D.O.L.; James H. McRae, A.G.D., and William Weigel, 1st Inf.; Lieut. Col. Lewis S. Sorley, 1st Inf.; Guy C. Palmer, 2d Inf., and Hunter B. Nelson, 25th Inf.; Major Hugh D. Wise, Q.M.O.; Samuel P. Lyon, 32d Inf.; Benjamin B. Hyer, 4th Cav.; Hamilton S. Hawkins, I.G.D. (Aug. 14, H.D.)

MISCELLANEOUS ORDERS.

Following officers to Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal., 40th Division, for duty: Col. Alexander M. Tuthill, 1st Inf., Ariz. N.G., for duty with 79th Inf. Brigade; Lieut. Col. Harry P. Wilby, 79th Inf., Ariz. N.G., to division Q.M.; Major Lawrence O. Mattheus, Inf., Nat. Army, as division adjutant; Major Francis H. Farnum, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 20, War D.)

The following officers will report to the Intelligence Bureau, War College Division, G.S., Washington, for duty: First Lieut. Wildred G. Hannam, Statistical Section, A.G.D., Nat. Army; 2d Lieut. Earnest De Wald, Inf., O.R.C. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Regimental Quartermaster, Sergt. Harry W. Kint, Harrisburg, Pa., is transferred to Permanent School Detachment, School for Bakers and Cooks, Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., as chief instructor in baking, garrison and field. (Aug. 21, War D.)

CAMP DUTY ORDERS.

REGULAR ARMY, NATIONAL GUARD AND NATIONAL ARMY.

Following officers to Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla., 35th Division, for duty: Brig. Gen. A. B. Donnelly, 2d Inf. Brigade, Mo. N.G., to 69th Inf. Brigade; Col. H. O. Clark, Mo. N.G., to 68th Inf. Brigade; Col. C. I. Martin, Kas. N.G., to 60th Depot Brigade; Major Walter J. Scott, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major James M. Hobson, jr., Inf., Nat. Army, as division adjutant; Major Walter V. Gallagher, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Following officers to Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S.C., 27th Division, duty: Brig. Gen. W. W. Easter, 3d Inf. Brigade, 6th Division, N.Y.N.G., to 52d Depot Brigade; Col. R. E. L. Michie, G.S.C., to 53d Inf. Brigade; Col. Charles L. Phillips, C.A.C., to 52d P.A. Brigade. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers will proceed to Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, 32d Division, to duty as indicated: Brig. Gen. L. C. Covell, 1st Inf. Brigade, Mich. N.G., to the 57th Depot Brigade; Col. W. G. Haan, C.A., to the 57th P.A. Brigade; Col. R. A. Richards, 3d Inf., Wis. N.G., to the 63d Inf. Brigade; Lieut. Col. H. Erickson (Inf.), Q.M.C., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major Sherman, Miles, F.A., Nat. Army, as asst. chief of staff; Major John H. Howard, Inf., Nat. Army, as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers to Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., 38th Division, for duty: Col. Henry H. Whitney, C.A.C., A.G.D., to 68d P.A. Brigade; Col. Edward M. Lewis, 45th Inf., to 74th Inf. Brigade; Brig. Gen. Roger D. Williams, Ky. N.G., to 68d Depot Brigade; Major Francis B. Loomis, F.A., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major Andrew J. Whitcomb, Inf., Nat. Army, as division adjutant; Major Robert I. Rees, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Division, for duty as indicated: Col. George Blakely, I.G.D., to 61st Art. Brigade; Brig. Gen. John A. Hulen, Texas N.G., to 70th Inf. Brigade; Col. Henry Hutchings, Texas N.G., to 71st Inf. Brigade; Col. Roy Hoffman, 1st Inf., Okla. N.G., to 61st Depot Brigade; Major John P. Hanson, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major John S. Upham, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers to Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La., 39th Division, for duty as indicated: Col. Robert D. Walsh, Cav., D.O.L., to 76th Inf. Brigade; Col. William J. Snow, 4th Field Art., to 64th Field Art. Brigade; Col. W. Wilson, N.Y.N.G., to 64th Depot Brigade; Col. Wilder S. Metcalf, 1st Inf., Kas. N.G., to 77th Inf. Brigade; Major Philip H. Sheridan, Field Art., Nat. Army, as division adjutant; Major Lewis S. Morey, Field Art., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers to Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., 29th Division, for duty as indicated: Brig. Gen. C. W. Barber, 1st Brigade, N.J.N.G., to 57th Inf. Brigade; Brig. Gen. C. D. Gaither, 2d Brigade, Md. N.G., to 58th Inf. Brigade; Col. W. C. Rafferty, Coast Art., to 54th Art. Brigade; Brig. Gen. C. O. Vaughan, jr., Va. N.G., to 54th Depot Brigade; Lieut. Col. Alvin K. Baskette, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major F. W. Brabson, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff; Major J. A. Ulio, Inf., Nat. Army, as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 54th Division, to duty as indicated: Brig. Gen. Frederick E. Resche, 1st Brigade Inf., Minn. N.G., to 66th Inf. Brigade; Col. Frank G. Mauldin, Coast Art. Corps, D.O., to 59th Field Art. Brigade; Brig. Gen. Hubert A. Allen, 1st Brigade Inf., Iowa N.G., to 67th Inf. Brigade; Col. G. H. Harries, Neb. N.G., to 59th Depot Brigade; Lieut. Col. Joel R. Lee, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major Samuel J. Sutherland, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., 37th Division, for duty as indicated: Brig. Gen. John C. Speaks, 2d Brigade, Inf., Ohio N.G., to 73d Inf. Brigade; Brig. Gen. William V. McMaken, 1st Brigade, Inf., Ohio N.G., to 73d Inf. Brigade;

Col. William R. Smith, Coast Art. Corps, to 62d Field Art. Brigade; Col. C. K. Zimmerman, Ohio N.G., to 62d Depot Brigade; Lieut. Col. Will H. Point, Inf., Nat. Army, as Div. Q.M.; Major Edward W. Wildrick, Field Art., Nat. Army, as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

NATIONAL GUARD ARMY.

Following officers of M.C., 6th Division, N.Y.N.G., to Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S.C., 27th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Walter C. Montgomery, Lieut. Col. Edward R. Maloney and Major Lefferts Hutton as assistants. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Following officers of M.C., Ohio N.G., to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., 37th Division, for duty as indicated after his name: Lieut. Col. Joseph A. Hall as chief surgeon, Major John C. Darby as assistant chief surgeon and Major Charles A. Neal as sanitary inspector. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Following officers of M.C., 7th Division, Pa. N.G., to Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., 28th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. William E. Kellar, Lieut. Col. William J. Crockett and Major C. A. Dillinger. (Aug. 18, War D.)

The following officers of National Guard to Camp Albert L. Mills, Minneola, Long Island, N.Y., for duty: Major George F. Graham, Montana N.G. and Capt. G. W. McLean, Michigan N.G. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major William A. Padgett, M.C., 1st Inf., Ala. N.G., to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Division, for duty as assistant chief surgeon. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major David S. Fairchild, jr., M.C., Iowa N.G., to duty at Camp Albert L. Mills, Minneola, Long Island, N.Y. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major Raymond C. Turck, M.C., Fla. N.G., to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Division, as sanitary inspector. (Aug. 18, War D.)

The following officers of M.C., Nat. Guard, to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Division, for duty: Major Floyd J. Boland, Okla.; Major John J. O'Reilly, Texas. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major Robert P. Harbold, Inf., Nat. Army, to Boston, Mass., for duty as division inspector, 26th Division. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Following officers, M.C., Tenn. N.G., to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C., 30th Division, for duty: Major Alexander M. Brailford and Major James R. Nankivell. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major F. M. Carroll, M.C., Washington N.G., to duty at Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal., 41st Division. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Following officers of M.C., Illinois N.G., to Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, 33d Division, for duty: Major H. H. Tuttle and Major Gustavus M. Blech. (Aug. 18, War D.)

The following officers of M.C., Nat. Guard, to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 34th Division, for duty: Major James E. Merrill, Minn.; Capt. L. B. Sturdevant, Neb. (Aug. 18, War D.)

The following officers of M.C., Nat. Guard, to Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla., 35th Division, for duty: Major Carl Phillips, Kas.; Capt. William L. Gist, Mo. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major James H. Ullrich, M.C., Md. N.G., to Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., 29th Division, for duty as sanitary inspector. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Major Charles W. Decker, M.C., Cal. N.G., to Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal., 40th Division, for duty as sanitary inspector. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Following officers of M.C., Ind. N.G., to Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., 38th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Larne D. Carter and Capt. A. C. L. Percell. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Randall M. Cooley, M.C., Mich. N.G., to duty at Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, 32d Division. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Resignation of 1st Lieut. Robert Barrett, 2d Inf., Ky. N.G., is accepted. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Resignation of 2d Lieut. Daniel C. Munro, 1st Cav., N.Y., N.G., is accepted. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Resignation of Chaplain William P. Dams, 5th Inf., Md. N.G., is accepted. (Aug. 20, War D.)

NATIONAL ARMY.

Orders relating particularly to the National Army appear on another page.

RESERVE CORPS ORDERS.

JUDGE ADVOCATES.

Major Patrick J. Hurley, J.A.G.O.R.C., to active duty at Washington. (Aug. 20, War D.)

ADJUTANTS.

Major Lewis W. Call, A.G.O.R.C., to active duty and report to J.A.G. for duty in his office. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Stanley M. Rumbough, A.G.O.R.C., to Washington, D.C., and report in person to Col. Robert A. Brown, 23d Cav., for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

QUARTERMASTERS.

Major Wallace A. Trumbull, Q.M.O.R.C., to Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, relieving Capt. Frederick S. Haines, Q.M. O.R.C., who will report to Major Trumbull duty as his assistant. (July 22, S.D.)

Major S. P. Wetherill, jr., Q.M.O.R.C., to duty Washington in office of Q.M.G. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Major W. I. Lincoln Adams, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty New York, N.Y. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Captains of Q.M.O.R.C. to duty at cantonments located at the places indicated opposite their names as Q.M. of the auxiliary remount depots at those places: B. P. Sparks to Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa; W. H. McWilliams to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas.; M. McShane to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich.; A. T. Primm, jr., to Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss.; O. Blue to Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md.; C. Allen to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. H. P. Hill, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty with depot Q.M., New York, as his assistant, instead of to the general superintendent, Army Transport Service. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Capt. Edmund B. Gregory, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty Jeffersonville, Ind. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Captains of Q.M.O.R.C. to duty in command of bakery companies as follows: Henry C. Noack No. 30, Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston; Fred W. Fallin No. 33, Camp Bowie, Fort Worth; Alexander M. Owens No. 4, Fort Sam Houston; Frederick O. Spang No. 40, Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., and John R. Watson, 51st Levee Springs. (Aug. 5, S.D.)

No. 49, Capt. George B. Darby, jr., Q.M.O.R.C., to Little Rock, Ark., duty. (Aug. 5, S.D.)

Captains of Q.M.O.R.C. to duty as follows: George C. Cook to New York, N.Y., Army General Hospital No. 1 (Columbia War Hospital); Philip E. Canton to Omaha, Nebr.; Burton E. Gris

era Department: T. A. Geddes to Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La.; J. T. Sallee to Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark.; A. C. Swenson to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. William J. Murphy, Q.M.O.R.C., now at Fort Kamehameha, H.T., is assigned as assistant to the post Q.M., Schofield Barracks. (Aug. 8, H.D.)

Capt. Harvey M. Snyder, Q.M.O.R.C., now at Schofield Barracks, H.T., is assigned as assistant to the post Q.M., Schofield Barracks. (Aug. 8, H.D.)

Major Ralph G. Sullivan, Q.M.O.R.C., to San Francisco for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Charles F. Burkhardt, Q.M.O.R.C., to New York, N.Y., for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Captains of Q.M.O.R.C. from present duty and to canteenment indicated opposite their names for duty as Q.M. of the auxiliary remount depots: T. H. Murphy to Camp Green, Charlotte, N.C.; R. B. Vainwright to Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S.C.; N. Biddle to Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga.; C. L. Binns to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C.; J. G. Worth to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga.; M. G. Richardson to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.; T. Atkinson, Jr., to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala.; C. G. Thomson to Camp Gordon, Chambliss, Ga.; W. Littauer to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. O. F. Skiles, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty at Chicago. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. L. Houston, Q.M.O.R.C., to active duty at Fort Preble, Me. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Captains of Q.M.O.R.C. to duty as follows: Franklin D. Shaw to Washington; John Kaba to New York, N.Y.; John G. Stevenson to Tensley, N.J.; Charles O. Carter to New York, N.Y. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Captains of Q.M.O.R.C. to duty at Camp Albert L. Mills, Mineola, Long Island, N.Y.: Capt. Charles A. Coe and Anton Zeman. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Charles R. Morris, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty at Washington. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Captains of Q.M.O.R.C. to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty: Lucien A. Quick, Frank E. Howes and Harry L. Horton. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Amos Tyree, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty Baltimore, Md. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Aaron Freeman, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty Fort Thomas, Ky. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Jefferson D. Heady, Q.M.O.R.C., to duty Boston. (Aug. 22, War D.)

The following changes in stations and duties of following officers of Q.M.O.R.C. are announced, at the request of the officers concerned: Capt. Harry J. Harris from duty Syracuse, N.Y., to Ayer, Mass.; Capt. Lewis A. Felling to Syracuse, N.Y. (Aug. 22, War D.)

MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS.

Capt. James B. Clark, M.R.C., to active duty at Camp Green, Charlotte, N.C. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Officers of M.R.C. to the camps indicated: Capt. Shadworth O. Beasley, Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal.; Capt. Abram S. Clark, Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C.; 1st Lieut. Albert G. Jenner, Camp Logan, Houston, Texas; 1st Lieut. Arthur F. Weyerbacker, Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Ala. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Major Ralph A. Stewart, M.R.C., to Fort Ontario, N.Y., Hospital Unit No. 1. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Major I. Dyer, M.R.C., to duty at New Orleans, La. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Capt. Arthur J. Markley, M.R.C., to Schofield Barracks, H.T. (Aug. 14, H.D.)

Capt. Frank D. Dickson, M.R.C., will report in person to the commanding general, Western Department, for duty. (Aug. 17, War D.)

The following officers, M.R.C., to Fort Sill, Okla., for a course of instruction at the Gas School: Capt. T. B. Appel, B. Cole, J. C. Sessions and H. C. Parker; 1st Lieuts. G. W. Brehm and N. W. Faxon. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Officers of M.R.C. to duty at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., with the Red Cross Ambulance Co. No. 31: Capt. Charles S. Lawrence; 1st Lieuts. John T. Benbow and William E. Brackett. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Capt. E. F. Butler, M.R.C., Rockefeller Institute, New York, N.Y., will report in person to Major Simon Flexner, at that place, for duty as his assistant. (Aug. 18, War D.)

The following officers of M.R.C. to active duty at Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.: Capt. D. H. Body, W. T. McConville, J. W. Colbert, C. B. J. Mitterniedt, H. E. Sears, J. H. Wright; 1st Lieuts. J. A. Bennett, E. Bibby, W. B. Campbell, W. F. Collins, F. Crounse, G. J. Ganow, R. T. Kennedy, I. W. Livermore, H. E. McGarvey, W. H. McShane, R. S. Nelson, R. C. Norris, W. H. J. O'Brien, D. Ramsay, P. A. Reque, R. E. Robinson, G. E. Stevenson, A. L. Tinkess. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Officers of M.R.C. to report by telegram to commanding general, Western Department, for assignment to duty: Capt. Alonzo DeM. Snyder and 1st Lieut. Ernest D. Hatch. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Capt. Albert F. Beverly, M.R.C., to duty at Austin, Texas. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Officers of M.R.C. to active duty at base hospitals at camps below named: Camp Upton, Yaphank, Long Island, N.Y.—Capt. F. J. Cox; 1st Lieuts. A. J. Anderson, F. L. Barnum, E. C. Foster and W. J. Wansboro. Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.—Capt. E. A. Darling and C. O. Kepler; 1st Lieuts. Robert L. Jones, W. D. Stickney, J. M. Tracy and E. S. Winslow. Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J.—Capt. M. J. Synnott and J. N. Teeter; 1st Lieuts. W. A. Clark, F. R. Corson, B. A. Furman and L. E. Poole. Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md.—1st Lieuts. Thomas J. Connan, George Von P. Davis, Winter R. Frantz, E. F. Gott, A. Shelley and H. N. Sisco. Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.—Capt. W. Hope, S. B. Moore and E. M. Parker; 1st Lieuts. C. M. Easter, I. H. Goldman and P. G. Riley. Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C.—1st Lieuts. F. W. Barron, E. T. Davies, W. D. Gates, J. H. Pratt, W. Van Korb and S. W. Woodhouse. Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio—1st Lieuts. W. C. Gates, G. M. Logan, R. B. Thompson, J. A. Shaffer, A. B. Shatto and J. W. Sheets. Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark.—1st Lieuts. D. O. Bridgforth, I. S. Butler, E. J. Fuller, H. W. Graves, J. S. Jenkins and W. K. Read. Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky.—1st Lieuts. E. T. Gallagher and A. Grider, H. L. McLean, W. B. Neal, C. B. Willmot and O. Wilson. Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich.—Capt. W. E. Chapman and W. G. Wright; 1st Lieuts. W. A. Giffa, L. N. Tupper, R. W. Ulrich and S. Van Farnum. Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill.—Capt. J. Barry, A. R. Craig and W. Cuthbertson; 1st Lieuts. H. G. Champlin, C. O. Craig and C. A. Jacobson. Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga.—Capt. H. H. Malone; 1st Lieuts. B. C. Bird, F. Bird, T. L. Davis, R. E. Foster and C. E. Willis. Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa—Capt. W. S. Brown and J. G. Franzing; 1st Lieuts. W. O. Bissell, W. R. Ryford, O. M. Coen and A. W. K. Downs. Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas.—Capt. F. Christmann; 1st Lieuts. J. B. Brickell, I. B. Chadwick, R. J. Miller, M. Newlon and J. Welch. Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Texas—Capt. L. B. Carson and B. R. Johnston; 1st Lieuts. C. C. Buchanan, B. F. Gibson, J. J. Gill and H. E. Kleinberg. Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash.—Capt. F. Gardner; 1st Lieuts. E. L. Bickford, P. I. Carter, W. B. McNettney, J. S. Smeal and H. J. Whitaker. (Aug. 17, War D.)

First Lieutenants, M.R.C., to duty as follows: W. G. Phillips, Jr., to Allentown, Pa.; J. F. Miller to Augusta, Ga.; Camp Hancock, with base hospital; C. L. Tranter to Letterman Hospital, S.F.; J. D. Thomas to Fort Ethan Allen, Vt. (Aug. 17, War D.)

First Lieut. Thaddeus S. Troy, M.R.C., to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for duty with Red Cross Ambulance Co. 31. (Aug. 18, War D.)

First Lieut. Jackson S. Cooper, M.R.C., to report by telegram to commanding general, S.D., for duty. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Following first Lieutenants, M.R.C., to Fort Clark, Texas, for assignment as indicated: Levy S. Johnson to Field Hosp. Co. No. 30; William H. Cade, Jr., to Amb. Co. No. 30; Robert K. Lowry to Amb. Co. No. 29; Granville L. Kerley to Field Hosp. Co. No. 29; Jesse F. Gamble to Amb. Co. No. 29; John F. McDonald to Field Hosp. Co. No. 29. (July 30, S.D.)

First Lieuts. Sims D. Bevil and Jeffrey C. Michael, M.R.C., to Kelly Field, South San Antonio, for duty. (Aug. 5, S.D.)

First Lieut. Floyd D. Lewis, M.R.C., to report by telegram to commanding general, Western Department, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

First Lieut. William H. Cooley, M.R.C., report by telegram on Sept. 1, 1917, to commanding general, S.D., for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of M.R.C. to duty Augusta, Ga., Camp Hancock: Capt. Joseph L. Donahue, 1st Lieuts. Eugene Clarence Rice, Jr., and Frank P. Strome. (Aug. 20, War D.)

First Lieut. Russell LaF. Cecil, M.R.C., to Yaphank, Long Island, N.Y., Camp Upton, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

First Lieut. John D. Jungmann, M.R.C., to duty Spartanburg, S.C. (Aug. 20, War D.)

First Lieutenants of the M.R.C. to camps indicated after their names for duty in connection with laboratory work: Frederick A. Hecker and Theodore W. Kemmerer, Camp Cody, N. Mex.; Aldis A. Johnson, Leon S. Medalla and Harry H. Robinson, Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas; Harrison S. Martland and Charles B. Reitz, Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala.; Lemuel W. Gorman and Robert A. Kelly, Spartanburg, S.C. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Major Henry D. Jump and 1st Lieut. John D. McLean, M.R.C., to duty Washington with the Council of National Defense. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. John H. Blackburn, M.R.C., to duty Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, as chief of Surgical Service. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the M.R.C. to duty as follows: Capt. Joseph K. Worthington, Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas; 1st Lieut. Chelsea A. Coleman, Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Edson E. Goodrich, M.R.C., report in person to the commanding general, Southern Dept., for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Charles Goodman, M.R.C., to duty Washington, Army Medical School. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Samuel Hindman, M.R.C., to duty Syracuse, N.Y. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Walter W. Crawford, M.R.C., to duty base hospital at Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., as chief of the surgical service. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Charles B. Hara and 1st Lieut. William Friedberger, M.R.C., to report by telegram to the commanding general, Western Dept., for duty. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieut. William J. Jones, M.R.C., duty Allentown, Pa. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieut. Cranfield H. Douthirt, M.R.C., to duty Fort Bayard, N.M. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Captains of the M.R.C. to camps specified for duty: First Lieuts. Lloyd Thompson, Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La., and Wilborn A. Upchurch, Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the M.R.C. to camps below specified for duty: First Lieut. Sylvan L. Haas, Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco; Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal.; 1st Lieut. William F. Boardman, medical officers' training camp, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.; Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieutenants of M.R.C. to duty as follows: Sidney C. Williams to report by telegram to the commanding general; A. L. Roberts to duty Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Joseph A. L. Wolfe to Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Harry T. Lay to Fort Riley, Kas.; Paul J. Parker to Newport News, Va.; C. T. Smith to report by telegram to commanding general, S.D. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Arthur G. Combe, M.R.C., to duty at Mineola, N.Y. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Capt. Alexander L. Gillars, M.R.C., to Columbus Bks., Ohio, for duty. (Aug. 22, War D.)

First Lieutenants M.R.C. to duty as follows: Caro W. Lippman to Jefferson Bks., Mo.; Monroe B. Bevier and Daniel J. T. M.R.C., to duty Syracuse, N.Y.; William J. Kerr to duty University of California as cardiovascular examiner; James J. Beaton to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill.; Robert B. Jack to Jefferson Bks., Mo.; and Thomas R. W. Wilson to Washington, Army Medical School. (Aug. 22, War D.)

VETERINARY OFFICERS.

Second Lieut. H. B. Roshon, V.R.C., to active duty Gettysburg, Pa. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Second Lieut. Foster T. Pedersen, V.R.C., to duty Chicago, Ill. (Aug. 20, War D.)

DENTAL OFFICERS.

First Lieut. Alphonzo F. Wilbur, D.R.C., to duty New York, N.Y., 8th Reserve Engineers. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Officers of Dental Reserve Corps to active duty Syracuse, N.Y.: 1st Lieuts. George F. Dalton, Joseph H. Jaffer and Charles Steffens. (Aug. 17, War D.)

First Lieut. Tressie, Jr., D.R.C., to Fort Riley for duty. (Aug. 16, War D.)

First Lieut. Mildred I. Merritt, Dental R.C., to duty Douglas, Ariz. (Aug. 21, War D.)

First Lieutenants, D.R.C., to duty as follows: Harold S. Flanagan to Gettysburg, Pa.; Fred C. Sizelan to Waco, Texas; Robert E. F. Millington to Wrightstown, N.J. (Aug. 22, War D.)

ENGINEER OFFICERS.

Other Engineer Reserve orders appear on pages 34-36.

Major Arthur M. Shaw, E.O.R.C., to active duty Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Officers of E.O.R.C. to station at Washington for duty: Majors Eugene W. Stern, Arthur B. Krutz and Irving C. Moller, Capt. Patrick L. Stacker, 1st Lieuts. Robert T. Frazier, Jr., and Robert J. Templeton. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Capt. Frank T. Wood, E.O.R.C., to duty Petersburg, Va., Camp Lee. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. Albert F. W. O.R.C., to the 117th Regiment and will join. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. Frederic C. Barlow, E.O.R.C., assigned to the 10th Engineers (Forestry), to Camp American University to duty. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Capt. M. C. Pomeroy, E.O.R.C., to active duty National Guard camp, Palo Alto, Cal. (Aug. 17, War D.)

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Capt. J. S. Gravely, O.O.R.C., to Washington for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

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Capt. Deane B. Small, S.O.R.C., to Boston, Mass., 26th Division, for duty. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Capt. Harrison S. Brink, S.O.R.C., to duty at Little Silver, N.J. (Aug. 20, War D.)

First Lieut. Frank J. Nichols, S.O.R.C., to censorship duty at El Paso, Texas. (July 25, S.D.)

First Lieut. Thomas L. Clark, S.O.R.C., to Co. A, 1st Field Battalion, S.C., El Paso, Texas, for duty. (July 28, S.D.)

First Lieut. George L. Rister, S.O.R.C., to Ayer, Mass., for duty as signal supply officer at Camp Devens. (Aug. 18, War D.)

First Lieut. Ted C. Vella, S.O.R.C., to New Orleans and Baton Rouge, La., for purpose of securing suitable men for enlistment in the Corps of Intelligence Police. (Aug. 17, War D.)

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Capt. Charles R. Cameron, Av. Sec., S.O.R.C., to duty at Washington. (Aug. 20, War D.)

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First Lieut. Philip D. Smith, Av. Sec., S.O.R.C., to duty at Aviation School, Rantoul, Ill. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Capt. Robert D. Wrenn, Av. Sec., S.O.R.C., to report in person to C.S.O. of Army for duty. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Capt. Henry S. Bacon, Av. Sec., S.O.R.C., to duty at Aviation School, Belleville, Ill. (Aug. 22, War D.)

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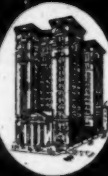
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The 41st Division, National Guard Army, Major Gen. H. Liggett, U.S.A., commanding, and composed of the National Guard of Oregon, Montana, Idaho and Wyoming, which had been ordered to train at Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal., was ordered to occupy the camp at Charlotte, N. C., selected in the first place for the 26th Division. The report that this division is to be the next to follow the 26th abroad, cannot be traced to an authentic source. The rumor doubtless had its origin in the early movement of this division to the Eastern coast, from which it can, of course, be more expeditiously embarked upon transports.

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RESTATING OUR CASE.

The pacifist and pro-German elements in our population who keep on insisting that the United States should tell what "its aims are in this war" now have another opportunity to either emerge from their state of ignorance or put an end to their disloyal impertinence by reading the President's answer to Pope Benedict's message to the belligerent peoples. The President's reply, dated Aug. 28, begins with an acknowledgment of the "moving appeal of His Holiness" and expresses the wish that must be felt by every heart "that we might take the path of peace he so persuasively points out." The President states that the Pope in substance proposes we return to the status quo ante bellum, "and that then there be a general condonation, disarmament and a concert of nations based upon an acceptance of the principle of arbitration; that by a similar concert freedom of the seas be established, and that the territorial claims of France and Italy, the perplexing problems of the Balkan States, and the restitution of Poland be left to such conciliatory adjustments as may be possible in the new temper of such a peace, due regard being paid to the aspirations of the peoples whose political fortunes and affiliations will be involved."

The President then states: "It is manifest that no part of this program can be successfully carried out unless the restitution of the status quo ante furnishes a firm and satisfactory basis for it." And he adds this clear and forceful restatement of our cause for entering the war: "The object of this war is to deliver the free peoples of the world from the menace and the actual power of a vast military establishment controlled by an irresponsible government which, having secretly planned to dominate the world, proceeded to carry the plan out without regard either to the sacred obligations of treaty or the long established practices and long cherished principles of international action and honor; which chose its own time for the war; delivered its blow fiercely and suddenly; stopped at no barrier either of law or of mercy; swept a whole continent within the tide of blood—not the blood of soldiers only, but the blood of innocent women and children also, and of the helpless poor; and now stands balked but not defeated, the enemy of four-fifths of the world. This power is not the German people. It is the ruthless master of the German people. It is no business of ours how that great people came under its control or submitted with temporary zest to the domination of its purpose; but it is our business to see to it that the history of the rest of the world is no longer left to its handling."

After declaring that to deal with such a power on the plan proposed by the Pope would only give fresh strength to it the President declares that the American people "believe that peace should rest upon the rights of peoples, not the rights of governments." He says: "The test, therefore, of every plan of peace is this: Is it based upon the faith of all the peoples involved or merely upon the word of an ambitious and intriguing government on the one hand and of a group of free peoples on the other? This is a test which goes to the root of the matter, and it is the test which must be applied. The purposes of the United States in this war are known to the whole world, to every people to whom the truth has been permitted to come. They do not need to be stated again. We seek no material advantage of any kind. We believe that the intolerable wrongs done in this war by the furious and brutal power of the Imperial German Government ought to be repaired, but not at the expense of the sovereignty of any people—rather a vindication of the sovereignty both of those that are weak and of those that are strong. Punitive damages, the dismemberment of empires, the establishment of selfish and exclusive economic leagues we deem inexpedient and in the end worse than futile, no proper basis for a peace of any kind, least of all of an enduring peace. That must be based upon justice and fairness and the common rights of mankind."

The message ends with the statement that "we cannot take the word of the present rulers of Germany as a guarantee of anything that is to endure" and that "we must await some new evidence of the purposes of the great peoples of the Central Powers" before we can enter into any agreements with them that can be depended on to last.

The mobilization of the 42d Division National Guard is progressing favorably. The contingent from the Eastern Department has already reported at Camp Albert L. Mills, at Mineola, L.I., and others will soon arrive. The entrainment of the 117th Regiment of Engineers from Greenville, S.C., began on Aug. 28; and the 151st Machine Gun Battalion, from Macon, Ga., left on the following day. The 167th Infantry from Montgomery, Ala., and the Division Headquarters Troop from New Orleans, La., left also on that day. The 1d Ambulance Corps, 117th Sanitary Train from Chattanooga, Tenn., moved on Aug. 30; and at the same

time the 117th Engineer Train left Wilmington, N.C. Each of these bodies was due to arrive within forty-eight hours from the time of departure, except the New Orleans troops, which will be another day travelling. The contingents from the other departments are expected at an early date, and complete organization will follow. General Mann is already in command of the cantonment.

OFFICERS' CLUBS AT THE CAMPS.

One of the most signal evidences of the marked difference between the social attitude of England and France and that of the United States toward their armies as a whole is to be found in the treatment abroad of the matter of civilian provision for clubs and other places of entertainment and refreshment for the officers and men of the British and French armies. Abroad, as here, such civic institutions as the Young Men's Christian Association and organizations of a patriotic character take care of the problem of providing relaxation for the enlisted men both when they are in billets behind the lines and in the larger cities where many of the men go on leave if they cannot return to their homes. In that respect the social attitude of the people of the United States toward the enlisted man is precisely the same as it is in England and France. But when it comes to taking the officers of the armies into such a consideration then the difference is abysmally broad and deep.

In recent issues of THE ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL we have told how Baron Henri de Rothschild had offered the use of his Paris mansion as a clubhouse for the officers of the Allied armies visiting that city. In London the social organization known as the Pilgrims has taken on itself the responsibility for providing a clubhouse for American officers either on duty in London or who are passing through that city. The Pilgrims have secured the residence of Lord Leonfield, in Curzon street, and propose to establish a club there where meals may be obtained at cost and bedrooms, of which there are twenty, for a small fee. In Paris about twenty American universities and colleges propose establishing "a home with the privilege of a club for American college men and their friends passing through Paris or on furlough."

All these movements have been started for the officers abroad. We have the same problem facing us here, only on a more extensive and pressing scale, and yet not a single move has been made even to consider it so far as we have been able to determine. With 40,000 troops assembled at one of the National Army cantonments there will be not less than 1,000 officers, with the prospect of there being nearer 1,200. The work before these officers in training the recruits of the new National Army is to be of the hardest and most exhausting character. It will have none of the stimulation that comes to an officer on duty abroad with troops, for at least that brings change of scene and novelty of conditions of life and service which are in themselves something of a relaxation. The officers on duty at home at the cantonments and National Guard camps will have little of this nature to relieve the hard grind that is before them.

It may be that the plans for the camps and cantonments include provisions for an assemblage place for officers, but since the War Department has so many problems on its hands it is not likely that esthetics will enter at all into the furnishings of such assembly halls, esthetics not being within the purview of military life except in the matter of camouflage. In the recent experience of our troops on the Mexican border there was no place for the officers of the National Guard regiments to assemble until, in some cases, the members of the veteran associations of the regiments provided buildings for the officers' messes, one of these buildings having cost the veterans \$2,000 to construct and furnish with bare necessities. Yet those halls were a great improvement over holding a conference of officers before the colonel's tent where the seniors could stand under the fly and the juniors stood beyond its shelter, to get wet if it happened to be raining while the conference was in session.

It should scarcely be expected by the men of our country who are too old to go into the Service or who are exempt for other reasons, that the officers of our Armies should have to provide for themselves either rest rooms at the camps and cantonments or clubs. The mere detail of making arrangements for such places is one that should not be added to their already heavy burdens and responsibilities, to say nothing of the heavy cost of such undertakings. Recent orders from the War Department concerning the storage of officers' goods outside the Quartermaster storehouses and that cutting off commutation of quarters to some extent have already added extra burdens to the officers' already overstrained budgets. Since every provision seems to have been made for the entertainment, both physical and mental, of the enlisted men, it would appear that many of our patriotic societies whose occupations are gone "for the period of the existing emergency" might take leaves out of the books of France and England and take on themselves this duty of providing clubs and quarters for officers, at the camps and cantonments at least if they do not wish to consider the larger program of similar institutions in cities. In our issue of Aug. 25, page 1736, we quoted Dr. Joel E. Goldthwait, of the Medical Reserve Corps, as telling how many of such clubs existed abroad and how useful and necessary they were. We will be following an excellent example

if our citizens will take this matter up with the same spirit of appreciative generosity as civilians have abroad.

OUR TEMPORARY ARMY.

Under the heading "Abolishing the Army" on page 1117 in the issue of the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL for April 28 we quoted from Secretary Baker's remarks at the hearing on the bill authorizing the temporary increase of the Military Establishment which were to the effect that when the "existing emergency" was over we would have no Army save the Regular officers and the enlisted men who had entered the Service prior to April 1, 1917. Secretary Baker's exact words were: "When this emergency is over all contracts of enlistment will be over in the National Guard, will be over in the Regular Army, and will be over in the additional forces provided for." The simple directness of Mr. Baker's statement, as well as the language of the act he was discussing, leaves no doubt as to the condition the country faces in regard to the future state of its Army once the war is over.

Secretary Baker discussed this very point with the Washington correspondent of the Associated Press on Aug. 28, repeating, in effect, his statement quoted above that "after the restoration of peace, with the exception of the officers of the Regular Army and a few men of the old Regular enlisted force whose enlistments may not have expired at that time, the entire war Army will pass out of existence." And he added: "There is no provision of law for continuing it beyond the end of the war." The Act of June 15, "Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the Military and Naval Establishments on account of war expenses" distinctly states that "Whenever said war shall cease . . .

. . . and within four months after the date of said proclamation, or as soon thereafter as may be practicable to transport the forces then serving without the United States to their home stations, the provisions of said act, in so far as they authorize compulsory service by selective draft or otherwise, shall cease to be of force and effect." The Associated Press correspondent adds that the question of establishing a continuing military policy of universal service has been debated to some extent recently, but many members of Congress hold that it would be unwise to take it up now. If the war is long it may be recognized that it is necessary to provide for the registration of new classes which reach the military age of the Selective Service law each year and possibly also to exempt men now registered, but who may pass beyond the maximum age limit before the war ends.

While the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL realizes that active measures taken just now to press any measure for taking up the whole problem of universal military service might be judicious, we cannot refrain from calling attention to this situation, as we were the first to do, and to remind our readers that it is a matter they must keep close to their hearts, since it will call for united action the moment that action is proper and timely.

Adjutant General McCain, of the Army, has notified the several department commanders that special regulations governing appointment and promotion of officers of National Guard will soon be issued. Until they are issued all cases now pending or which may come up before their adoption, appointment and promotion of officers of National Guard will be disposed of as follows: 1. Commissions for appointment or promotion will not be given for any vacancies which existed on Aug. 5 (no matter on what previous date the vacancy occurred) nor for any vacancies which occurred after that date, until such commissions can be given in accordance with special regulations to be issued. 2. Exception to this rule may be made in cases of enlisted men discharged from Regular Army by authority from Secretary of War to accept commissions in National Guard.

THE GREATER DESTROYER PROGRAM.

The estimates submitted by Secretary of the Navy Daniels for an authorization of \$350,000,000 for the construction of additional destroyers, \$225,000,000 of which, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be expended at the direction and discretion of the President, were approved by President Wilson on Aug. 29. The General Board of the Navy, the Chief of Operations of the Navy, and a special board on the submarine menace, recently ordered to consider and report upon the whole subject, are agreed in believing that, at present, the construction of a maximum number of destroyers is the most desirable material development for the Navy, and a vital military necessity, and have so reported to Secretary Daniels.

Arrangements have already been made to accelerate to the utmost extent the construction of all destroyers under contract at the beginning of the war and ordered since. The large orders for additional destroyers under the Naval Emergency Fund in the Naval Appropriation Act of March 4, 1917, absorb all the present facilities for destroyer construction in the country which give promise of prompt delivery. In order to undertake, with reasonable assurance of early completion, the large number of additional destroyers which the military situation renders desirable, it will be necessary to provide entirely new facilities for building the hulls and machinery and their appurtenances. The Navy Department has been in conference with various ship builders of experience in destroyer work, and is assured that it is possible to provide these additional facilities.

If this project is undertaken, direct and prompt action is essential; if the desired results are to be obtained and Secretary Daniels will urge early authorization and appropriation by Congress. This involves immediate acquisition of plants suitable for prompt conversion to the purpose of building destroyer machinery, etc., or of sites upon which plants can be constructed at once by the Navy Department, or its agents. Navy designers have already worked out a standard type of destroyer, on which the quantity production machinery proposed will be employed. The new boats probably will not differ materially from the latest thirty-five knot oil-burning type ordered for the Navy.

A PASSING MUCH TO BE REGRETTED.

It is always a regrettable and pathetic circumstance when a man or an institution, after a long, honorable and determined fight against adverse conditions is at last compelled to succumb to a pressure too strong for diminishing strength to resist. The present case is that of the Journal of the Military Service Institution, which forty years ago was established by a number of the best, brightest and most scholarly minds the Service has known—men like Hancock and Schofield, J. B. Fry, Rodenbough and Wesley Merritt, who, with many others of the thoughtful and resourceful sort had lamented the need of a higher education, a unity of sentiment and opportunity for team work among the younger element of the Army.

The Journal of the Institution founded as an agency for interchange of ideas and discussion of important military subjects, for forty years has been an eagerly looked for and welcomed visitor in Army circles of nearly every country of the globe; subscribed for and interchanging with similar publications in England, Russia, Australia, Japan and the states of South America and Mexico. In its current issue, as we note on page 22, the editor—Brig. Gen. James V. Allison, U.S.A., who since the death of General Rodenbough has so ably conducted the publication—states that with the ensuing November-December number the Journal of the M.S.I. will be compelled to suspend publication for lack of funds.

The evil days of the Journal dawned with the establishment of the first of the line associations of the Army and its own publication devoted to the peculiar interests of that particular branch of the Service instead of those of the Army at large. This was speedily followed by one and another until each branch of the Line and several of the Staff had its own association and magazine. As each regimental commander became, perhaps naturally, a recruiting officer for his own branch's association and through moral suasion at least saw that his younger officers became members thereof, their dollars, as naturally, went to that instead of to the parent association, which languished thenceforth. It had no endowment and no financial support save the dues of members. As of these 233 have failed to pay their membership dues for 1917, and 166 are delinquent for both 1916 and 1917, the cause of the unhappy condition of affairs is not difficult to find. Recent heavily increased expenses of publication due to mounting cost of materials and labor with as rapidly diminishing income have brought matters to a speedy and disastrous issue.

The Signal Corps of the Army has made arrangements to establish a flying school at Fort Worth, Texas, where English instructors will assist American officers in preparing American flyers for air service on the western front. American student flyers are already under training in the Royal Flying School at Toronto, Canada. But owing to unfavorable conditions in winter in Canada the instructors, students and some of the equipment will be transferred about Nov. 1 to the Fort Worth school, a name for which has not yet been adopted. It is expected that by that date a sufficient portion of the barracks, machine shops, classrooms, hangars, etc., will be completed to provide for the opening of the school. Four squadrons, 600 men, will probably be under training in the new school when completed. Some of these will be machinists necessary to keep airplanes and engines in proper condition. The Fort Worth school will follow the practice pursued at other large schools of having several flying fields within flying distance of each other, but widely enough separated to give the student flyers plenty of room when in the air. It is roughly figured that a square mile is a good allowance for two squadrons, whose flying equipment is seventy-two airplanes. Usually not more than thirty-six of those would be in the air at one time.

The resumption of football and other athletic sports at Annapolis by permission of Secretary Daniels naturally revived hopes that the War Department would grant the same privileges to West Point and that the annual Army-Navy football game would follow in due course. Secretary Baker quashed all these hopes, however, on Aug. 29 when he declared that "he was opposed to having the contest played even for the purpose of raising a war fund." Mr. Baker explained that the Army-Navy game had been discussed by him with Secretary Daniels and Lieut. Col. Palmer E. Pierce, U.S.A., president of the National Collegiate Athletic Association. The decision reached was that so far as West Point and Annapolis were concerned every ounce of energy ought to be employed toward the prosecution of the war, even at the temporary sacrifice of athletics.

SEND OFF FOR 27TH DIVISION, N.G. ARMY.

New Yorkers certainly had reason to feel proud of the splendid body of National Guardsmen of the 27th Division, N.Y., led by Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan, in the farewell parade in Manhattan, New York city, on Aug. 30, prior to their departure for camp at Spartanburg, S.C. It was the largest state division in the United States. Officers and men made a remarkable exhibition of soldierly qualities and physical fitness, and were a credit to the state and nation. They had a solidity, and a dignified and serious bearing that was inspiring to behold, and the clean cut intelligent faces are a guarantee of their reliability for the supreme test to come later. Even a command that has been classed as among the poorest in the Guard made a fine appearance as it passed the reviewing point, and the parade in its entirety, representing nearly the bulk of the National Guard of New York, was the best ever witnessed in the city from a strictly military standpoint.

The people of New York city who have only been used to seeing the city troops must have had an agreeable surprise in seeing the fine specimens from "up the state," as they swung along like seasoned veterans. The companies of these regiments, for the most part scattered among different towns, comprise as fine a body as can be found in the state.

Through the courtesy of the Union League Club, Governor Whitman reviewed the troops from a special stand there during the early part of the parade. He later went to the stand at the Public Library with Mayor Mitchell. The courtesy of the Union League Club, was most highly appreciated by military and naval men and others. The club, through Charles Evans Hughes, president, and Henry C. Quinby, secretary, had sent out invitations for some hundreds of guests, suspending for the day its visitors' list. Besides Governor Whitman and staff, and Mayor Mitchell, the guests included Col. Theodore Roosevelt, who received a big ovation from spectators on being recognized; Gen. J. Franklin Bell, and W. A. Mann, and E. D. Hoyle, U.S.A. Rear Admiral N. R. Usher, U.S.N., Major Gen. O'Ryan and his staff, Adjutant Gen. Louis W. Stotesbury, Gen. Daniel Appleton and George R. Dyer, and Col. Arthur L. Schermerhorn, N.Y.N.G., Lord Aberdeen, formerly Governor General of the Dominion of Canada, Brig. Gen. W. A. White, of the British Recruiting Commission, and his staff, foreign consuls, city officials, and prominent citizens, the mayors of fifty-seven towns and cities having representatives in the 27th Division were also guests of the club.

ORDER OF THE PARADE.

The organizations passed in the following order: Major Gen. John F. O'Ryan and staff, the latter including Capt. E. W. Moore and Lieut. C. P. Franchot, aides; Lieut. Col. H. H. Bandholtz, acting chief of staff; Major E. Olmsted, Asst. C. of S.; Lieut. Col. J. M. Wainwright, H. S. Sternberger, W. G. Montgomery, V. W. Ward, Majors A. L. Reagan, J. L. Kincaid, J. T. Lorne, J. W. Farrell and R. T. Morris.

Division Headquarters Troop, Capt. D. T. Dunbar; 22d Engineers, Col. Cornelius Vanderbilt.

Third Brigade, Brig. Gen. James W. Lester; 2d Inf., Col. J. M. Andrews; 3d Inf., Col. E. S. Jennings.

First Brigade, Col. Willard C. Fisk; 7th Inf., Lieut. Col. R. McLean; 12th Inf., Col. R. L. Foster; 14th Inf., Col. J. R. Howlett.

Second Brigade, Col. William G. Bates; 23d Inf., Col. F. H. Norton; 1st Inf., Col. J. S. Boyer; 71st Inf., Lieut. Col. J. M. Hutchinson.

Provisional Brigade, Coast Art., Col. E. F. Austin; 8th Coast Defense Command, Lieut. Col. P. Loesser; 9th Coast Defense Command, Col. J. J. Byrne; 13th Coast Defense Command, Col. Sydney Grant.

Field Artillery, Major Leonard B. Smith; 2d Battalion, 3d Field Art., Major Wilbur T. Wright.

First Cavalry, Col. C. I. DeBoeise; Squadron A, Cav., Major William R. Wright; Machine Gun Troop, Cav., Capt. Stanton Whitney.

First Battalion, Signal Corps, Major W. L. Hallahan. Division Trains, Lieut. Col. C. C. Lansing; Military Police, Major T. H. Shanton; Small Arms Section, Ammunition Train, Major Walter L. Bell; Artillery Section, Ammunition Train, Major L. F. Sherry; Supply Train, Capt. G. H. Robertson; Engineer Train, Capt. David D. Mohler; 3d Ambulance Co., Capt. John S. Maeder; 1st Field Hospital, Major Moses A. Stivers; 2d Field Hospital, Major Louis H. Gaus; 3d Field Hospital, Major Arthur W. Sice, and 4th Field Hospital, Major Frank Harnden.

The column moved sharply at 10 a.m., the time set, from 110th street and Fifth avenue, south to Washington square, and the last unit passed through the arch at 2:15 p.m. This distance was about five and a half miles. The head of the parade reached the Union League Club at 11:20, the distance from the starting point being about two and a half miles. There was a rest of five minutes every half hour. A delay of one half hour occurred through an artillery organization not being in proper position. This was the only break in the program.

There were approximately 25,000 Guardsmen parading, and there were five Infantry regiments, and three Artillery regiments absent, by reason of their being engaged on duty elsewhere. It was noticeable that many of the organizations were lacking in various equipment which the War Department has not yet been able to supply. Under orders of General O'Ryan, Engineers, Infantry, and Coast Artillery paraded with bayonets fixed—that is where the men had bayonets to fix. There were large numbers of men without bayonets, and frequently entire companies were minus them. The men wore the Service uniform and equipment, and those having the 1910 equipment carried packs and canteens. The other command not having this equipment, carried light blanket rolls, haversacks, and canteens. There were many varieties of breeches, as men who had not been supplied by the Government with them, had purchased their own at various shops, in many cases, hence the great variety of color, and cut. Some men had canvas leggings, others had cloth puttees, and some had regulation blankets, and others had no blankets at all, and many men had no cartridge belts. In the 7th Infantry a few of the men carried grey blankets. The deficiencies will be made good by the War Department.

It was a trying day for marching, the humidity being very high, but there were very few men of the division who had to drop out. Five men were accidentally hurt by bayonet wounds during the march, but none seriously. The police arrangements were admirable, and the great crowds and traffic were perfectly handled. The Mayor's Committee for the parade, headed by Colonel Bond, are deserving of great praise for their part in the work. The route of the parade was banked with spectators at every vantage point, on the walks, steps of houses, at windows, and on stands, and there was frequent sadness among those who looked upon a dear one perhaps for the last time. Each different organization was readily recognized, a soldier carrying a placard at its head.

The combat trains of the 2d, 3d, 23d, and 71st Infantry, by orders of General O'Ryan, paraded with those commands, and what with these and the marching units, the length of these regiments was close on 1,000 yards. The draft animals of the different units, were on the

whole a very serviceable looking lot, well broken in. An innovation in the parade was the "wheeled division office," complete typewriter, table, shelves, filing cases, etc. It was designed by Major Edward Olmsted, the assistant chief of staff to General O'Ryan. So far as known it is the first used by a military force, and it is expected to prove a very valuable addition. There were quite a number of vacancies for commissioned officers noticeable in different regiments.

Col. Willard C. Fisk, of the 7th Infantry, was acting commander of the 1st Brigade, and Col. William G. Bates, of the 71st Infantry, was the acting commander of the 2d Brigade, these brigades being without commanding generals for the present.

The 12th Infantry had a number of recruits in civilian dress, bringing up the rear of the column. These men received frequent applause.

The 22d Engineers, with full ranks, each man carrying his complete field equipment, and packs filled to the limit, was the heaviest weighted command in the column. The men, however, bore up finely, and carried their heavy loads with apparent ease, which speaks highly for their physical condition. A wheeled kitchen accompanied the regiment. The 22d went direct to Jersey City after the parade, and entrained for the cantonment of the 27th Division, at Spartanburg. The Headquarters Troop also entrained at Jersey City, and other troops will go south later. General O'Ryan and most of his staff, left for Spartanburg on Aug. 31.

TWENTY-SIXTH NATIONAL GUARD DIVISION.

Major Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, U.S.A., commander of the 26th Division of National Guard, has designated the subordinate commanders of the various units of New England troops comprising his command. Brig. Gen. E. Leroy Sweetser, Mass., will command the 51st Depot Brigade in which Col. Willis W. Stover and Col. William C. Perry will command regiments. Col. Edward L. Logan, Col. William C. Hayes and Col. Warren E. Sweetser, Infantry officers, will command field units.

The detail of the organization is as follows: Divisional headquarters troops, Capt. Oliver Walcott; 101st Machine Gun Battalion, Major James L. Howard; 51st Brigade, Brig. Gen. Peter E. Traub, U.S.A.; 101st Infantry, Col. E. L. Logan; 102d Infantry, Col. E. S. Isbell; 102d Machine Gun Battalion, Major John Perkins, jr.; 52d Brigade, Brig. Gen. Charles H. Cole, Mass.; 103d Infantry, Col. F. H. Hume; 104th Infantry, Col. William C. Hayes; 103d Machine Gun Battalion, Major W. G. Getchell; 51st Field Artillery Brigade, Brig. Gen. W. Lassiter, U.S.A.; 101st Field Artillery, Col. John H. Sherburne; 102d Field Artillery, Lieut. Col. Thornton D. Howe; 103d Field Artillery, Lieut. Col. Richard K. Hale; Trench Mortar Battery, Captain Greene; headquarters train and military police, Col. Warren E. Sweetser; Engineer Regiment, Col. G. W. Bunnell; Field Signal Battalion, Major H. G. Chase; ammunition train, to be designated; supply train, Capt. David G. Arnold; Engineer-train, 1st Lieut. S. R. Waller; sanitary train (four ambulance companies and four field hospital units), Col. J. L. Bevans.

The 26th National Guard Division was scheduled to go into training at Camp Greene, Charlotte, N.C., but the orders have been changed so as to permit the troops to remain north and concentrate in order to make an earlier departure for France than was at first intended.

ASSIGNED AS CHIEFS OF STAFF.

The following officers of the U.S. Army assigned to the National Army will report to the stations given after their respective names for duty as chiefs of staff to the commanding general of the division noted:

Col. Harry H. Bandholtz, Inf., to Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S.C., 27th Division.

Lieut. Col. Alfred W. Bjornstad, Inf., to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C., 30th Division.

Lieut. Col. Dana T. Merrill, Inf., to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., 37th Division.

Lieut. Col. Malin Craig, Field Art., to Camp Fremont, Palo Alto, Cal., 41st Division.

Lieut. Col. Irving E. Booth, Field Art., to Camp Upton, Yaphank, Long Island, N.Y., 77th Division.

Lieut. Col. Preston Brown, Inf., to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., 82d Division.

Lieut. Col. Charles E. Kilbourne, Field Art., to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas., 89th Division.

Lieut. Col. John J. Kingman, Field Art., to Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, 90th Division.

Lieut. Col. Herbert J. Bress, Field Art., to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., 91st Division. (Aug. 19, War D.)

77TH DIVISION NATIONAL ARMY.

Camp Upton, at Yaphank, Long Island, N.Y., under command of Major Gen. J. Franklin Bell, U.S.A., where some 44,000 men of the draft Army will be trained has been considerably delayed in its completion, owing to troubles with workmen. With the arrival of General Bell, however, complaints of the men as to bad food, unsanitary arrangements, etc., were promptly remedied, and the work has progressed more rapidly. It will be some weeks yet, however, before the camp can be fully completed.

Owing to the delay in the work, the orders of some 1,500 officers of the Reserve Corps ordered to report at Yaphank on Aug. 29, were countermanded. The order was issued by Col. E. E. Bogh, chief of staff of the division, on authority from General Bell. Colonel Booth explained that the delay was necessitated because the contractors met with "unforeseen delays" in the construction of the buildings to house the new officers. "All these officers, the order said, will report by letter on Aug. 29 to the commanding general, 77th Division, Camp Upton, New York, giving their city and street address, where orders giving the date when they will report in person will be mailed to them later."

General Bell established his headquarters at Camp Upton, last week, and an army of nearly 15,000 mechanics and laborers has been busy constructing buildings, making roads, digging wells, etc. An ample spur on the railroad has been built at the cantonment, for a terminal, where troops and freight cars can be handled readily. The buildings are arranged in the form of a "U" with a large parade ground in the middle. The buildings on the "U" cover an area of some three miles long by two miles wide. In addition there is the remount station, and the hospital base.

General Bell desires the co-operation of the citizens

of New York in the recreational, educational and musical activities of the camp, which he considers of prime importance. He has issued a letter of appeal for the "Camp Upton Army Recreation Fund." The scheme is to provide two or three large auditoriums, similar to those used by Billy Sunday, where chorus singing can be enjoyed and other recreation and instruction. General Bell states that Mr. Harry Barnhart, the director of the New York Community Chorus, who has been conducting such singing of soldiers at the United States mobilization camp, Syracuse, N.Y., has consented to take charge of singing at Camp Upton and the New York Community Chorus will co-operate and assist. Mr. W. Kirkpatrick Brice, of No. 60 Wall street, New York city, is treasurer of this fund, and all contributions collected should be sent to him. "The Camp Upton Army Recreation Fund," says General Bell, will be formed by Mr. Barnhart's associates, and I will start the same by giving each soldier in the camp opportunity to contribute not exceeding \$1."

TWENTY-NINTH DIVISION, NATIONAL GUARD.

The cantonment at Anniston, Ala., known as Camp McClellan, for the National Guard of the 29th Division, composed of troops from New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, Virginia and District of Columbia, is very beautifully situated amid hills and valleys, shaded by fir and spruce and hickory; with little streams through them; copes of woods rising in the fertile farmlands, and broad fields of cotton and corn. The Y.M.C.A. has already erected a temporary shack. It will be some weeks before the cantonment, as a whole, can be completed as the work is much behind. The erection of a large hotel for officers' families has commenced. It will be near camp and two wings will be ready for occupation by Oct. 1, with a third to be added later. An officers' club will be set up in one wing and a club for women in the other wing. A dance hall and amusement pavilion will be put in. Birmingham men are promoting the enterprise, which will involve the investment of approximately \$150,000.

Major Gen. Charles G. Morton, U.S.A., the commander of the division, is now in camp with his staff and other officers who have reported include the following: Lieut. Col. George S. Goodale, U.S.A., chief of staff; Col. John A. Hull, J.A.; Capt. F. W. Brabson, assistant chief of staff; Lieut. Col. C. C. Snyder, M.C., division surgeon; Major J. F. Lynch, M.C., Va. N.G., assistant surgeon; Major S. Jarman, Field Art., division O.O.; Major R. H. Kelley, Inf., division inspector; Capt. J. S. Fox, M. C., sanitary inspector; Capt. R. F. Hare, depot Q.M.; Capt. W. E. Withgott, assistant D.Q.M.; Capt. W. G. Freeman and Lieut. H. D. Parker, O.O.; Brig. Gen. W. C. Rafferty, U.S.A., 45th Field Artillery Brigade; Brig. Gen. C. C. Vaughn, jr., Va., 54th Depot Brigade.

THE NEW ENGINEER REGIMENTS.

A large number of assignments to new Engineer Regiments were made by the War Department in orders issued this week. The following colonels of Engineers of the National Army were assigned to command regiments as noted below: 104th Engineers, Col. C. W. Otwell, 29th Division, Anniston, Ala.; 105th Engineers, Col. H. B. Ferguson, 30th Division, Greenville, S.C.; 106th Engineers, Col. C. L. Brown, 31st Division, Macon, Ga.; 107th Engineers, Col. E. S. Bond, 32d Division, Waco, Texas; 109th Engineers, Col. E. H. Schultz, 34th Division, Deming, N.M.; 110th Engineers, Col. S. E. Cheney, 35th Division, Fort Sill, Okla.; 113th Engineers, Col. J. C. Oakes, 38th Division, Hattiesburg, Miss.; 114th Engineers, Col. M. J. McDonough, 39th Division, Alexandria, Va.; 115th Engineers, Col. G. B. Pillsbury, 40th Division, Linda Vista, Cal.; 117th Engineers, Col. W. Kelly; 315th Engineers, Col. F. C. Boggs, 90th Division, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Officers from the Corps of Engineers of the Army were also assigned to the following regiments of Engineers, as noted in orders from the War Department in this week's issue:

111th Engineers, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Division; 301st, Ayer, Mass., 76th Division; 302d, Yaphank, L.I.; 77th Division; 303d, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division; 304th, Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Division; 305th, Petersburg, Va.; 80th Division; 306th, Columbia, S.C., 81st Division; 307th, Atlanta, Ga., 82d Division; 308th, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Division; 310th, Battle Creek, 85th Division; 311th, Rockford, Ill., 86th Division; 312th, Little Rock, Ark., 87th Division; 313th, Des Moines, Iowa, 88th Division; 314th, Fort Riley, Kan., 89th Division; 316th, American Lake, Wash., 91st Division.

NEW ARMY DENTAL SURGEONS.

As a result of recent examinations, thirty-four candidates have been found qualified for commissions in the Army Dental Corps. Some ninety additional candidates will probably be appointed, the papers in those cases now being in process of marking at West Point. Those who are qualified to date are as follows:

James E. Akeroyd, Dresden, Ohio.
Alvin E. Anthony, Cumberland, Md.
Joseph L. Boyd, 208 Majestic Building, Shreveport, La.
Arthur T. Barchill, Dunmore, Pa.
William B. Caldwell, 147 Hubbard avenue, Columbus, Ohio.
John C. Campbell, 717 Williams street, Eugene, Ore.
Henry H. Collins, Denver, Colo.
James R. Conner, 908 Hollingsworth Building, Los Angeles.
Benjamin H. Dean, 2042 Portland avenue, Louisville, Ky.
James E. Dean, 534 Lee Building, Oklahoma City, Okla.
Melvin R. Eiche, Marshfield, Wis.
Harold S. Embree, Fresno, Cal.
Horace R. Finley, 156 West 47th street, Los Angeles, Cal.
Curtis W. Hollam, 1458 Park road, Washington, D.C.
Leslie S. Harlan, Jamestown, Ind.
Cecil E. Hays, 1201 National Bank Building, Toledo, Ohio.
Frederick W. Herna, South California State Hospital, Patton, Cal.
William H. Hoblitzell, 507 Andrews Building, Cincinnati.
Avery J. Holmes, Southport, N.C.
Glover Johns, 612 Gibbs Building, San Antonio, Tex.
Norman M. MacKenzie, 209 Franklin Postoffice, Depot Redwood, Cal.
L. W. Waly, Bingham Canyon, Wash.
Roy R. Newman, 1225 Claphurst place, Baltimore, Md.
Harold J. Parker, 24 East 48th street, New York city.
Bryan S. Purviance, 742 S. Kingsley Drive, Los Angeles, Cal.
Walter A. Rose, 147 Hubbard avenue, Columbus, Ohio.
John A. Rowe, Winnemucco, Nev.
Eugene A. Smith, Frostburg, Md.
Roy E. Starr, 4624 Cedar avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.
Robert L. Strickland, 59 Pendleton street, New Haven, Conn.
Francis M. Tench, 1553 Jefferson place, Buffalo, N.Y.

Richard K. Thompson, Washington Barracks, D.C.
Leland S. Wilson, 1019 Pacific avenue, Tacoma, Wash.
Clarence J. Wright, 1136 1/2 North Washington avenue, Lansing, Mich.

FIELD ART. PROVISIONAL LIEUTENANTS.

The statement was correct, in the ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL of August 11, that the provisional second lieutenants of the April examinations as announced in our issues of July 28 and August 4 were confirmed on August 6 in the arms for which they had been qualified as shown in the lists published in our paper. The Congressional Record of August 1 and August 6, however, in assembling the matter in its pages, made the mistake of placing under the heading of Cavalry nominations all those announced by us on August 4 as successful candidates for Field Artillery under "class six." To set at rest those who have been misled by the Record's error and who are in doubt as to their arm of service, we republish the names of these Field Artillery officers that were misplaced in the Cavalry by the Record.

Arnold W. Shutter	Gordon Hunt Michler
G. Fitz-Herbert Delamer	Robert Graff Merrick
Leland Whitney Crafts	Louis J. Fortier
A. Franklin Kibler	William Mitchell Wiener
Leon Joseph Blanchard	William J. Schieffelin, jr.
John Donald Robb	William Fergus Kernan
Winfield Mills Putnam	George Lamb Buist Rivers
James Caruthers Lysle	Dell Hamilton McCoy
Francis Sylvester Conaty	Wallace Gordon Drummond
William Edward Beits	Morrill Ross
William Caldwell Dunckel	Roland Legard Davis
William Hugh Burns	John Averill Steere
Bernard Reilly Kennedy	Leslie Edwards Babcock
Rex Byerly Shaw	Joseph Cumming Elliff
John Waller Faulconer, jr.	William Torrey Barker
Richard Erastus Taylor	Erik Achorn
Charles Deere Wiman	Dorsey Richardson
Herbert L. Montgomery	Byron Henry Mehl
Gennard Alban Greaves	Leon Adolph Des Pland, jr.
Willis Alexander Garvey	Charles Warner McCleary
Edwin Howard Blanchard	John Lindley Gammell
Francis Murry Crist	James Wade Emison, jr.
Haines Beede Quimby	Ward Hale Maris
Robert Carlyle Gillies	Roderick Stanley Patch
Oliver Grant Brush	

THE OUTBREAK AT HOUSTON, TEXAS.

Following the outbreak by some 125 negro soldiers of the 24th U.S. Inf. at Houston, Texas, on Aug. 23, which resulted in the death of seventeen white persons, and the wounding of twenty-one others, the entire battalion of the 24th Infantry was removed from Houston, and taken to Columbus, N.M. The battalion, which numbered 633 men, was under guard of two companies of the 19th U. S. Inf., in command of Major J. H. Bradford, jr., and the men who are charged with participating in the outbreak are now in a stockade for safe keeping, pending their trial by court-martial.

Before entraining for Columbus, the men of the 24th were disarmed at Camp Logan. The battalion during its disarmament was surrounded by a guard composed of a battalion of 19th U.S. Infantry, under Col. Millard F. Waltz, reinforced by three companies of U.S. Coast Artillery, all with loaded rifles. Colonel Waltz, who is known to be no trifier, addressed the negroes and plainly told them that they would be required to stay in camp and would be protected from violence and that at the same time they would be prevented from committing further violence. The battalion of the 24th Infantry at Deming, N.M., has also been transferred to Columbus, to avoid possible trouble.

Among the negro soldiers taken from Houston to Columbus, were the thirty-four indicted on a charge of murder, by the Harris County Grand Jury on Aug. 25. The fate of these men, and also of some 100 other men of the 24th Inf. is in the hands of the military authorities, notwithstanding the indictments by the Grand Jury. They will be court-martialed, and it is hardly possible that they can be returned to Houston for trial by the civil authorities.

Col. George O. Cress, U.S.A., Inspector General, arrived at Houston on Aug. 25 to investigate the shooting. District Attorney Crooker turned over to him the statements of captured negro soldiers that Sergeant Vida Henry, 24th Inf., who was killed, was the organizer and ring leader of the outbreak. The battalion of the 24th at Houston at time of the outbreak was under command of Capt. L. S. Snow. He did not accompany the battalion to Columbus, as he has been detailed to the camp at Fort Smith, Ark. There was shooting in the camp of the 24th before the men marched to the city, he said, and he pointed to a bullet hole in the frame of a shack as proof. This shooting was indiscriminate, however, the Captain said, and he did not believe any of the bullets were directed at him. He was unarmed as he went among the negroes, commanding them to remain quiet.

Although the possibility of an outbreak had previously been considered it would seem that sufficient steps were not taken to prevent it. After the shooting aid was telegraphed for, and the battalion of the 19th Infantry from San Antonio, and three companies of U.S. Coast Artillery from Fort Crockett were rushed to Camp Logan. The city of Houston had been placed under martial law by Governor Ferguson. Illinois National Guardsmen, aided by police and armed citizens, assisted in the restoration of order, before the arrival of the Regular troops. Major Gen. George Bell, U.S.A., arrived at Houston on Aug. 25 to take charge of the situation, relieving Brig. Gen. John A. Hulien, Texas National Guard, appointed commander by Governor James E. Ferguson when the state executive declared the city and county under martial law. General Bell found the situation so well in hand, that on Aug. 26, he ordered the 19th Inf., and the Coast Artillery to return to their former stations.

Storms of protests have been received at Washington, against the negro troops being kept in Texas, and asking for their removal. Telegrams were also sent to the Texas Congressional delegation by citizens stating that the negro company of the 8th Illinois Infantry stationed at Houston, "must go." The telegrams pointed out that not since the rioting had a single negro been troubled by the civilian population. They called to the

attention of the delegation also the fact that on the night the disturbance took place the Chamber of Commerce had arranged for a watermelon feast for the negro soldiers. The Illinois negroes took no part in the trouble. Secretary Baker, pending a full report of the occurrence and the recommendations of Major Gen. Parker, commanding the Southern Department, refused to make any statement as to the future policy of the War Department toward sending colored regiments into Texas or other southern states for training.

THE SIXTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

THE SERVICE INSURANCE BILL.

The Service insurance bill was favorably reported on Aug. 29, by the House committee. Representative Parker, of N.J., cast the only vote against reporting the measure. He was opposed to the optional insurance feature, on the ground that it would cost a tremendous sum of money and could not be administered fairly.

The principal change made in the bill by the committee was the reduction of the maximum amount of optional insurance a man may take from \$10,000 to \$5,000. Another amendment adopted provides that the allowance of a widow shall automatically cease upon remarriage. Originally the allowance would have continued for two years after the death of the husband.

The views of the committee of insurance men, which was appointed by Secretary McAdoo to assist in framing the Service insurance bill, are set forth by George E. Ide, chairman of the committee, in a letter of Aug. 28. The insurance men are united in their opposition to Article IV. of the bill since it does not state that it is a war measure only, and since the bill contains "no statement of intention of abandoning the issuance of new insurance under this article when the war is over."

BILLS BEFORE CONGRESS.

S. 2817, Mr. Curtis.—Making it unlawful for any common carrier, or the manager, agent, or employee of any common carrier, or the proprietor, lessee, manager, agent, or employee of any inn, hotel, restaurant, theater, or public place of entertainment or amusement to forbid or refuse transportation, admission, accommodation, or service, or make any discrimination against any officer or enlisted man who is in the military or naval service of the United States Government.

H.R. 5826, Mr. Gould.—To amend the National Defense Act by adding at the end of section eleven the following: "That in time of war every commissioned officer of the Army on active duty, with or without troops, who has a wife, child, or parent wholly dependent on him for support and designated by him as his beneficiary, shall be furnished at the place where he maintains such dependent the number of rooms now prescribed by the Act of March 2, 1907 (34th Statute, page 1168), or be paid commutation therefor at the rate now authorized by law."

H.R. 5828, Mr. Cary.—To give to those now serving on the exemption boards throughout the United States a commission in the United States Reserve Corps without compensation.

H.R. 5830, Mr. Wingo.—To extend the franking privilege, as to first class mail, to soldiers and sailors serving in the Army and Navy during the present war with Germany.

JOURNAL MILITARY SERVICE INSTITUTION.

The Journal of the Military Service Institution in its issue for September-October, 1917, soon to appear, in its Editor's Bulletin, says:

"In absence of a local and emphatic verification of the time-honored adage that 'it is the unexpected that always happens,' it appears inevitable that with the ensuing number—November-December, 1917—the Journal of the Military Service Institution must suspend publication. The cause of this mischance is entirely simple. The treasurer announces that he has no more money to pay the printers' bills.

"To that small but blessed coterie who have in past years sacrificed their scruples to the extent of reading the Bulletin, this announcement will not come as an entire surprise. At intervals the patient editor has sounded the warning note as definitely and plainly as he was permitted to do by the executive council.

"For several years before the present editor assumed charge of the Journal, the shadow of this approaching event was clearly seen by his predecessor, the gallant and lamented Rodenbough, who had devoted thirty years of his life to the building up of the Military Service Institution only to see with his declining years the sure and steady decline of its fortunes which all his energy and resource proved powerless to check. With the advent of the various branch associations of the different arms of the Service the membership of the parent institution began to fall away and continued with increasing impetus until the climax was reached with the year of his death—1912—which showed a hundred and fifty-six members died, resigned or dropped for non-payment of dues, with accession of but thirty-five, leaving a net loss of a hundred and twenty-one in a single year from a none too numerous membership. But printers' bills must be paid even if dues be not, and though they increase and wax fat and grow hypertrophied under war prices while incomes diminish in like proportion. And the sure result is purely a matter of simple mathematics.

"The suspension of the Journal, which it is hoped may prove but temporary, must not be considered as necessarily closing the doors of the Military Service Institution. Its machinery is intact and in full condition, lacking only fuel to do the work for which calculated and adapted—in case, of course, the Army show any disposition to avail itself of such service, which now appears somewhat doubtful. Its valuable library of several thousand volumes and the interesting museum in the same building are intact and well cared for, but needing for future care and preservation the expenditure of a modest amount of money not at this time available. That such an Institution should appeal to a great, rich and patriotic people and a big Army would appear inevitable. That for some mysterious reason it does not, is certain."

COMPTROLLER'S DECISIONS.

A retired officer who is on duty as governor of the U.S. naval home is not entitled to the active duty pay of his grade since he "was not ordered to active duty in connection with naval activities prior to the declaration of war," the Comptroller decides.

An enlisted man of the Army is not entitled to extra duty pay since April 7, 1917, owing to the fact that while the "present emergency" (i.e., a state of war)

exists the War Department has ordered that no extra duty pay will be allowed during the emergency.

THE NAVY LEAGUE SQUABBLE.

The Navy League in a statement issued on Aug. 30 announced that it accepted "without question" the Navy Department version of the explosion at Mare Island, the incident which provoked its controversy with Secretary Daniels and expressed regret that the league gave currency to the charge that the influence of labor interests had hushed up the facts developed by the investigation. It was explained that no reference was intended to the labor unions, but rather to the I.W.W. "Unfortunately," the statement concluded, "the language of the bulletin might be construed as referring to the old labor unions, which, led by Samuel Gompers, are doing their bit and making a splendid fight to maintain American ideals."

Another chapter was added to the unfortunate quarrel between the Secretary of the Navy and Col. Robert M. Thompson, president of the Navy League, on Aug. 29, when Colonel Thompson issued a reply to Secretary Daniels's order that all members of the League should be barred from Navy ships and stations. He said: "Certainly the Navy League has not made the slightest reflection upon the integrity of Secretary Daniels or upon any Naval officer. What it did was to draw attention to the fact that statements were being circulated that the Mare Island explosion was the result of a conspiracy and that the inquiry into this was being blocked. We did this because when such beliefs exist, and if untrue, should be publicly and authoritatively denied, but if true some one should suffer." The statement goes on to say that Colonel Thompson can find nothing in the charge to "justify his (Mr. Daniels) temper or his attack," repeats the substance of the original bulletin, and adds that "clearly Secretary Daniels does not mean what he says" in his "sweeping and drastic order." And it closes with these words: "He may mean that I am to be denied the privilege of attending next June the fiftieth anniversary of my graduation at the Naval Academy, but I hereby serve notice on him that I will attend."

Whatever may have been the intention of the writer of the original statement that awakened this undignified controversy he was certainly unfortunate in his expression of it. The statement clearly implied that labor interests were powerful enough to cause both the Navy officers who were conducting the investigation of the Mare Island explosion and the officials of the Navy Department to conceal the real cause of the explosion, charges whose meaning was so clear that Comdr. Mark St. C. Ellis, U.S.N., inspector of ordnance at Mare Island, felt called upon to deny them in a message to Rear Admiral Earle, printed elsewhere in this issue.

As we pointed out last week, the real victims of this controversy are the very men the Navy League was originated to help, the sailors of the U.S. Navy, who may be denied many of the comforts that have reached them heretofore through the league and its auxiliaries if Secretary Daniels insists on keeping in force his order against the league members. It is to be hoped that Mr. Daniels will see his way clear to rescinding the order which was obviously not the result of calm judgment.

ARMY ITEMS.

The three aviation camps at Fort Worth, Texas, are now being prepared. They will consist of two for Canadian students and one for American flyers.

Brig. Gen. E. D. Hoyle, U.S.A., retired, who has been residing at Cambridge, Mass., arrived at Governors Island, New York city, on Aug. 24, to take command of the Eastern Department, under recent orders from the War Department. He relieves Major Gen. J. Franklin Bell, U.S.A., who takes command of Camp Upton, Yaphank, Long Island, N.Y.

Major Gen. William P. Duvall, U.S.A., retired, arrived at Charleston, S.C., Aug. 29, and assumed command of the Southeastern Department, succeeding Major Gen. Leonard A. Wood, who recently was assigned to Fort Riley, Kan., to command the 89th Division of the National Army.

Brig. Gen. Eli D. Hoyle, U.S.A., commanding the Eastern Department, made an address to the recruits of the National Army from one district in New York city on Aug. 28, in the course of which he said: "I want you men to look for a moment on another side of Army life. Don't take it too seriously or with a gloomy air of impending disaster. It's a bully good life. I have spent forty years under the flag, and I wouldn't trade my Army experience for all the gold in the world. You are going where truth and honesty are required above all things. It's a life that lifts you above petty things. There is a pleasure in the Army life unknown to those outside of it. If you get the right viewpoint in entering the Service, you will be happy. Put your heart in your work, and remember all the time that the United States has won all her wars. Remember there are two things God always looks kindly on—one is the Army male and the other the United States. If we had to fight the whole world we would win."

Col. Ernest L. Isbell, late of the 2d Connecticut Infantry, has been assigned to command the 102d Infantry, National Guard Army, which was formed Aug. 24 by merger of the 1st and 2d Connecticut Infantry. The 102d Regiment, with the 101st Regiment, created by merger of the 5th and 9th Massachusetts Infantry, will form the 51st Brigade, under Brig. Gen. Peter C. Traub, U.S.A., and it will be a part of the 26th Division, under Major Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, U.S.A.

Col. Emory T. Smith has been assigned to the command of the 103d Field Artillery, National Guard Army, which is made up of Connecticut, Rhode Island and New Hampshire batteries.

A contract for 1,074,000 gas masks for the Army has been awarded to a manufacturing company in Philadelphia. The contract calls for an expenditure of \$1,502,000.

One hundred non-commissioned officers of the Army from the Cavalry and the Infantry were ordered on Aug. 22, to proceed to the following divisions as instructors in machine gun work. From the 26th to the 91st Divisions inclusive.

Eleven hundred and sixty Engineer Reserve officers were ordered to report as students to the Engineer Training Camps at American University, Washington, Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and Vancouver Barracks, Wash.,

in Special Orders issued by the War Department this week.

The total enrollment at American University and Leavenworth will be 500 each, while Vancouver Barracks camp will train 103 officers. Most of the officers, after three months of intensive training, will be available as instructors for the second increment of 500,000 troops to be called.

Columbia Hospital, New York city, which was accepted as a war hospital by the Government some time ago, is designated as United States Army General Hospital No. 1. It will be one of a series of big hospitals, where serious cases requiring long treatment will be taken.

Homer C. Leep, alias D. H. Young and F. C. Albrecht, pleaded guilty in New York city Aug. 24 before Judge A. N. Hand in the United States District Court to a charge of having falsely represented himself as a major in the Officers' Reserve Corps so as to practice fraud. He was sentenced to serve one year and a day in the Atlanta Penitentiary.

Col. M. C. Buckley, U.S.A., the newly appointed American military attaché at Rome, arrived at Udine, Italy, on April 24. He was cordially greeted by Italian superior officers and military missions of the Allies. He is following the present operations on the Isonzo front.

A new U.S. Army mine planter, the Gen. William M. Graham, was launched at the yards of the New York Shipbuilding Corporation at Camden, N.J., Aug. 29. The keel was laid immediately after the declaration of war in April, and at time of launching the ship was eighty-two per cent. completed. The ship was hurried through in record time. The launching party consisted of the sponsor, Miss Mary Graham Burrage, of Contocook, N.H., daughter of Capt. Guy H. Burrage, U.S.N.; Mrs. Guy H. Burrage, Dr. and Mrs. Carroll S. Allen, Major C. B. Drake, Major H. M. Fridley, Capt. P. N. Merz and Miss Dorothy Fridley, daughter of Major H. M. Fridley. Miss Burrage is a granddaughter of Gen. William M. Graham, U.S.A., for whom the ship was named.

The Senate sub-committee that is holding hearings on the charges made against Col. Carl Reichmann, U.S.A., as to his alleged pro-German utterances, which charges were made when Colonel Reichmann was nominated to be brigadier general, heard the accused officer on Aug. 24. A report of the hearing quotes Colonel Reichmann as denying that his utterances have been pro-German. He was asked by Senator Fletcher if he thought his sentiment for Germany, his native country, would influence his action if he went to France with the United States troops. Colonel Reichmann answered that it would not, adding that "duty and sentiment are very different." Colonel Reichmann declared he did not say the United States should not send troops to France. He is very desirous of going. He said his remark that Germany was justified in bombing French and British towns had been misconstrued. He cited the fact that France and Great Britain were doing the same thing. He did not say it was right. On Aug. 29 Capt. W. H. Patterson, U.S.A., appeared before the sub-committee and declared that virtually all the charges against the Colonel were without foundation. Captain Patterson was present at a luncheon where Colonel Reichmann was said to have expressed pro-German views. None of Colonel Reichmann's statements could be regarded as disloyal, Captain Patterson said. Mrs. James Anderson, of Victoria, B.C., wife of a captain in the Canadian army, testified before the sub-committee on Aug. 30 in support of her charge that Colonel Reichmann made pro-German statements. Mrs. Anderson said that at a tea in Chicago she heard Colonel Reichmann criticize the country's entrance into the war, declare it was an outrage for the United States to send troops to France and defend air raids over England. In response to questions Mrs. Anderson said she was born in Buffalo, N.Y., of American parents. Colonel Reichmann was present and asked the witness a number of questions. He flatly denied virtually all of the charges.

The high regard in which Major Gen. William H. Carter, U.S.A., is held by the city of Chicago and the appreciation of his former service there was evinced upon his recall to active duty and assignment to command the Central Department. Editorially the Chicago Tribune said: "War has brought back into active service Major Gen. William Harding Carter. It is the good fortune of Chicago that it has brought him back to the Central Department, where he has served three times before. No man in the American Army could be more welcome. General Carter is one of the most distinguished military men in the Service. Graduating from West Point in 1873, he saw much hard service in the Indian campaigns and as a young officer won the coveted Congressional Medal of Honor for distinguished bravery in action against Apache Indians at Cibicu Creek, Ariz., Aug. 30, 1881. But it is as an enlightened and far-sighted leader of Army organization reform that Gen. Carter's career was especially marked, and his book on 'The American Army' was one of the most valuable contributions to the literature of the campaign for modern defense. General Carter was largely responsible for the technical details of the organization of the Regular Army prior to the changes now under way as a result of our participation in the European operations, and if Congress had drawn upon his learning and judgment in the years before the war, instead of allowing the politics of men like Ainsworth and Hay to obstruct or garble sound measures, the nation would have been in condition to meet its military responsibilities more expeditiously and economically than it can contrive to do now. The Army and the nation, however, owe a great debt of gratitude to General Carter for his wise and patriotic efforts as if politicians had not succeeded in cheating us of the full benefits of his counsel. Courage, brains and patriotism mark the career of the splendid specimen of American soldier who returns to command the Central Department. Chicago will honor herself in honoring him."

ORDERS AND DECISIONS.

The Secretary of War directed, several weeks ago that the overcoats for the enlisted men ordered to duty in France be shortened to knee length and that all organizations prior to their embarkation are to be provided with them. All troops now in the United States ordered to duty in France who have been supplied with overcoats of full length, shall, prior to their departure exchange the same for coats of knee length, provided those of short length are available. The coats that may be thus turned in, will be transferred to the nearest supply depot and absorbed by issue to troops in the state, as well as the coats now on hand. As to overcoats for officers for the present no change in the length now prescribed is authorized.

The Secretary of War has approved an annual allowance of twenty-one rounds of automatic pistol ammunition per man for each enlisted man of the authorized strength of an ambulance company, for practical instruction of the men in the use of the pistol, where

any part of such company is armed with the automatic pistol.

The Secretary of War directs that in future National Guard officers in Federal service, when tendering their resignations from National Guard, state their age at time of making original applications in order that clerical labor may be saved and necessity avoided of returning papers for such information.

A new paragraph, 222½, added to the Army Regulations in Changes 58, dated July 6, 1917, recently issued, is as follows: The colors of the Chief of Staff shall be of scarlet and white silks, joined with a diagonal seam from the lower left-hand corner to upper right-hand corner, 5 feet 6 inches fly and 4 feet 4 inches on the pike, which shall be 9 feet long, including ferrule and spearhead. In the center of the color shall be a large five-pointed star embroidered in white, with one point upward, the points of the star to lie in the circumference of an imaginary circle 34 inches in diameter. In the center of this star, to be embroidered in colors, shall be the official coat of arms of the United States. In the upper left-hand corner, on the scarlet silk, shall be a five-pointed star embroidered in white; also on the lower right-hand corner, on the white silk, embroidered in scarlet, a similar star. Points of star to be upward and to lie in the circumference of an imaginary circle 4½ inches in diameter. The center of these stars to be 8½ inches from the long sides and 12½ inches from the short sides of the color; the edges to be trimmed with knotted fringe of yellow silk 2½ inches wide; the cord 8 feet 6 inches long, having two tassels and composed of red, white and blue strands.

An enlisted man of the Army who qualifies hereafter as gunner in the Field Artillery is entitled to \$5 a month if he be an expert first-class gunner, to \$3 a month if he be a first-class gunner, and \$2 a month if he be a second-class gunner, in addition to his pay, from the date of qualification until the next opportunity to requalify, or for one year if no opportunity for requalification is presented within that year, provided that during that time he does not attain a higher qualification and that he continues to be a member of the Field Artillery or re-enlists in that branch of the Service within three months from date of discharge therefrom.

A corporal, headquarters detachment, 9th Engrs., was sentenced by G.C.M. to be reduced to the grade of private. The legality of the sentence was questioned on the ground that there was no grade of private in that detachment. The sentence is upheld, on the ground that "there is the grade of private in the Engineers, and the accused was eligible for service in some other detachment."

Pay of a retired soldier ordered to active duty begins on the date he actually started to obey the order, and not on the date of the order. "The announcement in the War Dept. special orders of the assignment of these men to a duty effective on June 20, 1917, was merely the War Department's authority for the employment; and does not automatically authorize pay from that date," it is held, in the case of Sergeant Blood and others.

OUR FORCES ABROAD.

THE PERSHING EXPEDITION.

Major Gen. John J. Pershing, U.S.A., issued a general order on Aug. 28 to the officers and men of the American Expeditionary Force concerning uniform regulations and conduct. The order begins with this general statement: "The conditions under which our troops are serving in Europe are such as to require the most scrupulous observance of uniform regulations. Not only is the disciplinary effect of mixed and careless dress bad, but the conspicuous position in a foreign land which our officers and men occupy makes every slovenly officer and man a reflection on the whole American Army."

Various paragraphs from the detailed orders follow: "Officers will wear the regulation service hat and service coat. Square or bellows pockets in the coat are unauthorized and will not be worn. At drill and in the campaign the olive drab shirt will be habitually worn with the service coat. Officers at brigade or higher headquarters and officers on leave or detached duty are authorized to wear white shirt with collar and cuffs. Boots that lace through their entire length are authorized only outside of French cities or in inclement weather.

"When in uniform all officers will wear the Sam Browne belt, except when actually serving in the trenches, when leather or web pistol belts will be worn. At meals in quarters officers' sabers will not be worn. Pistols will be worn at all times in the trenches; otherwise, as required by local commanders. Canes may be carried in the trenches only. The Quartermaster Corps will organize shops for the repair of clothing; a half-soling machine will be obtained for each supply company.

"The importance of saluting has never been properly impressed on our officers and men. Every soldier should have carefully explained to him the meaning of this salute and the importance of properly saluting, especially the officers of the Allied armies. This also applies to field clerk and civilian employees in uniform. Officers will be most punctilious about saluting their superiors and returning the salute of enlisted men. The commander-in-chief presents this matter of uniform and saluting as one in which the pride of every member of the American Expeditionary Forces compels to neatness, smartness and attention to personal appearance, which in all armies invariably accompany discipline and efficiency."

Another order made public on the same day creates a general purchasing board in Paris, with a general purchasing agent at the head. This purchasing agent is the representative of the commander-in-chief, acting with various Allied purchasing agencies, and will co-ordinate and supervise all of the purchasing agencies of the American forces. The chief of each supply department and of the Red Cross and the Young Men's Christian Association will designate purchasing and disbursing officers to report to the general purchasing agent. The senior officers of these services will form a board, which will operate under the supervision of the general purchasing agent, and the members of this board will meet as frequently as necessary to pass upon proposed purchases.

A special dispatch from the American training camp in France to the New York Sun states that the Chasseurs Alpins are now acting as instructors to the American forces. The Associated Press correspondent writes that the instructors of the Expeditionary Force are devoting a great deal of attention to small-arms practice.

The 9th Regiment of Reserve Engineers' National Army, has arrived in France. This regiment is in command of Col. H. Deakne, and was organized for shop work. It was recruited largely in Philadelphia and other Pennsylvania cities, from among the mechanics employed in the machine shops of the railroad companies and larger manufacturing plants.

The American Field Service, with 1,100 men in the

ambulance branch and 800 in the transport branch, is to be taken over by the U.S. Army, the ambulance branch going under the control of the medical service and the transport under that of the Quartermaster General, according to an Associated Press dispatch from Paris of Aug. 28. The first steps in the transfer were taken on that day when representatives of the medical service left to visit the thirty-four ambulance sections along the front and invite the men to enlist for the duration of the war under the same conditions of service as are now existing. Those who do not accept the invitation may return home and will be replaced.

The Minister of Finance of France authorizes the entry without payment of duties of parcels sent from foreign countries by private persons to soldiers of the American expeditionary forces. No other examination will be required than an identification of the parcel and the transmission to the destination as marked. The same facilities are extended to shipments made to wounded soldiers under medical attendance in hospitals; they include tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, playing cards, and beverages. Those invoices are exempt from customs duties, statistic dues, and, if any, internal revenue taxes. It need not be said that the decision applies to shipments made by the Y.M.C.A.

Seventeen enlisted men who were in the first contingent of U.S. Army sent to France have been returned because of physical disabilities and are in St. Mary's Hospital, Hoboken, N.J., it was learned on Aug. 27. Hoboken heard rumors all day that some of the men had been wounded in battle, but this Dr. Blankenship, the house physician, positively denied. Two of the men, he said, were suffering from the mumps and others from kidney and lung trouble. One who had served twenty years in the Army was afflicted with a mental disorder.

VARIOUS NAVAL ITEMS.

The following changes in the mail addresses of vessels of the Navy, were received since the list which appears on page 4, of this issue, went to press. Address the following vessels care of Postmaster, New York city: Bridgeport, Corsair, Kaiser Wilhelm II., and Koenig Wilhelm II.

Secretary Daniels left Washington on Aug. 29 for Charleston, W. Va., and attended ceremonies there on the following day when ground was broken for the \$2,000,000 Navy projectile plant, which is to be ready for operation next April. Rear Admiral Frank F. Fletcher and other members of the Navy board which selected the site for the plant accompanied the Secretary. Plans for the \$15,000,000 armor plate factory to be built on the same tract are under way.

The Navy Department has been informed that an explosion occurred in the boiler room of the scout patrol vessel Elfrida, while she was proceeding down the Elizabeth river, Norfolk, Va., Aug. 25. Chief Mach. Mate M. Mortensen and Fireman U. E. Kite, both of the Naval Reserve, were seriously injured. The cause of the explosion is being investigated.

Naval Reservists now in the Service under the age of twenty-one, and who were in college or school previous to entering the Service, may be relieved from active duty and placed on the inactive list, in order that they may complete their studies, provided that their parents or guardians make a written request, and also file a document signed by the school authorities. It is provided, however, that those so relieved from active duty may be recalled in case an emergency arises.

As a result of the experience of the American oil tank ship Campana's running out of ammunition in her fight with a German submarine the Navy Department has ordered the supply of ammunition aboard all armed merchant ships doubled. The official reports showed that the Campana carried 180 rounds. The Campana offered a large, slow-moving target, whose guns were unable to teach the tiny target offered by the faster-moving submarine. As a result the submarine kept out of range and fired away until the merchantman had exhausted its ammunition. Then the submarine came up to close quarters and sank her.

The Navy Department announced on Aug. 27 the death of George Herbert Manley, U.S.N., a machinist's mate in the American Naval Aeronautical Corps. He was killed in an airplane accident, the nature of which was not described. Manley was the son of Herbert M. Manley, of Maplewood, N.J. He was twenty-one years old. He entered the training camp at Pensacola early in May. Word received by his parents said he was buried with full military honors.

Paymaster Gen. Samuel McGowan, U.S.N., had to issue the following notice owing to the fact that reports came to him of certain persons claiming they could obtain Navy contracts for manufacturers, and make more expeditious collections than was usual. The notice reads: "It has recently come to the attention of the Navy that certain persons representing themselves to be manufacturers' agents or brokers have been writing to manufacturers that they are in a position to obtain contracts for them, obtain more expeditious payments, and even have the goods of particular manufacture accepted for Government use. These statements have in some cases had direct reference to purchases being made by the Navy under competitive bidding and public competition and are, therefore, altogether without foundation. There has been no change in the methods previously pursued by the Navy of purchasing materials after public competition except in those few industries in which the demand exceeds production, and for this or other similar reasons the Navy allots its requirements among the trade subject to final governmental price fixing."

Through a complaint made by Capt. Sidney W. Brewster, U.S.M.C., to the District Attorney's office of New York city, a most outrageous abuse of the powers of a private detective agency was revealed on Aug. 28, when it was charged that the agency in question was "arresting" enlisted men of the U.S. Navy, confining them in the office of the agency, and practically holding them as prisoners until they legally became stragglers or deserters and then collecting either \$25 or \$50 for returning them to the New York Navy Yard. One enlisted man found by the District Attorney's detectives in the agency was Kenneth O. King, who enlisted last March in the Navy, and who had overstayed his shore leave to visit his mother who was dying. He was "arrested" in New York city while on his way back to his ship by a representative of the agency who took him to its rooms and had kept him in detention for three days, when Captain Brewster caused the city's officials to take action in the matter. One of the agency men posed as a captain. It was learned that he once served as a fireman in the Navy. Three of the agency men who were arrested were held in bail

for trial on a charge of impersonating an officer and unlawfully detaining a prisoner."

THE ARMY.

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NATIONAL ARMY.

TO DUTY AS CHIEFS OF STAFFS.

The following lieutenant colonels of Field Artillery, National Army, are assigned as chiefs of staff of the divisions named:

E. L. King to Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., 28th Div.
E. H. De Armond to Camp MacArthur, Waco, 33d Div.
W. H. Raymond to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 34th Div.
J. W. Gulick to Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal., 40th Div.
P. T. Hayne to Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Div.
R. S. Pritch to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Div. (Aug. 18, War D.)

The following lieutenant colonels of Infantry, National Army, are assigned as chiefs of staff of the divisions named:

G. H. Shelton to Boston, Mass., 26th Div.
G. S. Goodale to Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., 29th Div.
W. M. Fassett to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Div.
W. K. Naylor to Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, 33d Div.
R. McCleave to Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla., 35th Div.
E. J. Williams to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Div.
J. B. Gowen to Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., 38th Div.
B. Enochs to Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La., 39th Div.
M. B. Stewart to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., 76th Div.
E. T. Collins to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Div.
T. Ross to Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Div.
C. D. Roberts to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C., 81st Div.
L. Halstead to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., 84th Div. (Aug. 18, War D.)

Lieut. Col. W. H. Waldron, Nat. Army, to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., 80th Div., as chief of staff. (Aug. 18, War D.)
Lieut. Col. Edgar T. Collins, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, for duty as chief of staff. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Major William A. Castle, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, for duty as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 20, War D.)

ASSIGNMENT TO REGIMENTS, ETC.

Each of the following officers of National Army to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., 80th Division, for duty as indicated:

Lieut. Col. Frank K. Ferguson, C.A.C., D.O.L., as colonel, heavy F.A. regiment; Major George F. Hamilton, 2d Cav., as colonel in command of division trains; Majors Charles D. Herron, F.A.; Robert S. Welsh, 3d Field Art., as colonel, light F.A.; Majors Frank S. Cochen (Inf.), G.S.; Briant H. Wells (Inf.), G.S.; Ora E. Hunt, Inf., D.O.L., each as colonel of an infantry regiment. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Each of the following officers of National Army to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., 84th Division, for duty as indicated:

Lieut. Col. Charles M. Bunde, 10th F.A., as colonel, light F.A.; Lieut. Col. Frederick E. Johnston, C.A.C., D.O.L., as colonel, heavy F.A.; Lieut. Col. Fredrik L. Knudsen, 49th Inf.; Lincoln F. Kilbourne, 35th Inf., each as colonel of an infantry regiment; Majors August C. Nissen, 5th Cav.; Glen H. Davis, 12th Inf., each as colonel of an infantry regiment; Major Charles F. Crain, 37th Inf., as colonel in command of division trains. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Each of the following officers of National Army to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, for duty as indicated:

Lieut. Col. John M. Morgan, A.G.D.; Marcus B. Stokes, 38th Inf., each as colonel of an infantry regiment; Majors Alvord Van P. Anderson, 6th Cav.; Walter C. Babcock (Cav.), G.S., each as colonel of an infantry regiment; Major Edward T. Donnelly (F.A.), A.G.D., as colonel of light F.A.; Major John S. Battle, Inf., D.O.L., as colonel in command of division trains; Capt. Charles J. Bunker, 3d F.A., as colonel of light F.A. (Aug. 17, War D.)

Col. Edward H. Schulz, Engrs., Nat. Army, to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 34th Division, for duty with 109th Engineers. (Aug. 20, War D.)

Col. Samuel McP. Rutherford, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, for duty with depot brigade. (Aug. 20, War D.)
Lieut. Col. Robert E. McMillan, Q.M.C., Nat. Army, to Boston, Mass., Northeastern Department, for duty as division Q.M. (Aug. 20, War D.)

In giving the assignment of Lieut. Col. Robert C. Williams, Cav., D.O.L., as colonel of an infantry regiment of the National Army at Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Division, received in a late telegram in our last issue, the name was printed C. A. E. Williams by mistake.

ASSIGNMENTS AS STAFF OFFICERS.

The following officers of Nat. Army to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., 91st Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Frederick W. Coleman, Inf., as division Q.M.; Major Francis W. Clark, Field Art., as assistant chief of staff; Major Frederick W. Manley, Inf., as division Adj. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of Nat. Army to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C., 81st Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. William R. Gibson, Inf., as division Q.M.; Major Chauncey L. Fenton, Field Art., as assistant chief of staff; Major Adna R. Chaffee, Inf., as division Adj. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Following officers to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., 76th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. H. P. Dalton, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major J. M. Wainwright, Field Art., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff; Major Harry L. Hodges, Field Art., Nat. Army, as division Adj. (Aug. 21, War D.)
Officers of Nat. Army to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., 80th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Edward A. Sturges, Field Art., as division Q.M.; Major George A. Lynch, Inf., as assistant chief of staff; Major John B. Barnes, Inf., as division Adj. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Majors of Nat. Army to Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., 87th Division, for duty as indicated: Kenyon A. Joyce, Field Art., as assistant chief of staff; Thomas M. Knox, Inf., as division Q.M.; Loren C. Grieves, Inf., as division Adj. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Majors of Nat. Army to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., 85th Division, for duty as indicated: John A. Berry, Field Art., as division Q.M.; Clarence Lininger, Field Art., as division Adj.; A. Owen Seaman, Inf., as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of Nat. Army to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Division, for duty: Major Charles E. T. Lull, Field Art., as assistant chief of staff; Major Charles C. Burt, Field Art., as division Q.M.; Major Innis P. Swift, Inf., as division Adj. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the National Army will proceed to Camp Upton, Yaphank, L.I., N.Y., Aug. 25, to duty as indicated: Lieut. Col. John R. Hannay, Inf., division Q.M.; Major William N. Haskell, F.A., as division adjutant; Major Oresswell Garlington, F.A., as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Ky., 84th Division, to duty: Lieut. Col. Frederick W. Van Duyn, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major Phillip Mathews, F.A., Nat. Army, as division adjutant; Major Walter Krueger, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C., 30th Division, to duty as indicated: Col. William S. Scott, 16th Cav., to the 89th Inf. Brigade; Col. George G. Gatter, 15th F.A., to the 55th Field Art. Brigade; Brig. Gen. Lawrence D. Tyson, Tenn. N.G., to the 55th Depot Brigade; Lieut. Col. Clifford Game, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major Offshore Hope, F.A., Nat. Army, as division adjutant; Major Lorenzo D. Gasser, Inf., Nat. Army, as assistant chief of staff. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of National Army to Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa, 84th Division, to duty: Lieut. Col. Henry C. Bonny, castle, Inf., as division Q.M.; Major William Bryden, F.A., as assistant chief of staff; Major Samuel M. Parker, Inf., as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Division, to duty: Lieut. Col. Lawrence D. Cabell, Inf., Nat. Army, as division Q.M.; Major Gordon Johnston, Inf., Nat. Army, as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, 90th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. George E. Thorne, Inf., as division Q.M.; Major Alfred Brandt, Inf., as assistant chief of staff; Major Arthur G. Hixon, Inf., as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the Nat. Army to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas., 87th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Warren W. Whiteide, F.A., as division Q.M.; Major George P. Tynner, F.A., as assistant chief of staff; Major Jerome G. Pillow, F.A., as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., 82d Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Leon B. Kromer, F.A., as division Q.M.; Major Royden E. Beebe, Inf., as assistant chief of staff; Major Charles F. Thompson, Inf., as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Majors of the National Army to Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Division, for duty: Roger S. Parrott, F.A., as assistant chief of staff; Robert F. Tate, Inf., as division Q.M.; Charles B. Moore, Inf., as division adjutant. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., 87th Division, to duty: Lieut. Col. John C. Goodfellow, F.A., with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Lieut. Col. Henry S. Kilbourne, jr., F.A., with Light Art. regiment; Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Myers, 10th F.A., with Light Art. regiment; Major Edward P. King, jr., F.A., with Light Art. regiment; Major Earl P. Pierson, Inf., as division O.O. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, 89th Division, to duty: Lieut. Col. Henry B. Clark, F.A., with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Major Lewis Brown, jr., F.A., duty as brigade adjutant, depot brigade; Major Malcolm P. Andrus, F.A., duty with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Major Telephor G. Gottschalk, F.A., duty with Light Art. regiment; Major Joseph L. Topham, jr., Inf., as division O.O. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C., 81st Division, to duty: Lieut. Col. Ernest R. Tilton, F.A., with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Lieut. Col. Louis H. McKinlay, F.A., with Light Art. regiment; Major Marion S. Battle, F.A., with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Major Edmund T. Weisel, F.A., as division O.O.; Major Arthur E. Ahrends, Inf., as brigade adjutant, depot brigade. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Upton, Yaphank, N.Y., 77th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. John R. Kelly, F.A., to a Light Art. regiment; Lieut. Col. Frank C. Jewell, F.A., to a Heavy Field Art. Regiment; Major L. C. Sparks, F.A., to a Light Art. regiment; Major David Y. Beckham, F.A., with Heavy Field Art.; Major D. A. Nolan, Inf., as brigade adjutant, depot brigade. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of the National Army to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., 80th Division, to duty as follows: Lieut. Col. Thomas W. Hollyday, F.A., with Light Art.; Major Allan C. McBride, F.A., with Light Art.; Major William Tibbals, F.A., with Heavy Field Art.; Major Albert G. Goodwyn, Inf., duty as division inspector; Major Joseph W. Stillwell, Inf., duty as brigade adjutant, depot brigade. (Aug. 22, War D.)

ORDNANCE.

First Lieutenants of O.D., Nat. Army, Benicia Arsenal, Cal.: Ora C. Mudd, Gregory S. Lavin and Lemen P. Grim. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers, O.D., Nat. Army, to Frankford Arsenal, Philadelphia, for duty: Capt. Marcus G. Gallimore, O'Donnell Lee, Frank Bogle and William M. Downing; 1st Lieut. Pemberton Frame; Joseph M. Eppler, Vivian C. Ross, Levy S. Capps, William H. Middlesworth and John M. Hagen. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers, O.D., Nat. Army, to Watervliet Arsenal, N.Y., for duty: Capt. H. Bryant, F. B. Fleming, T. P. Kessler and E. J. Early; 1st Lieut. George P. Blackney, William H. Ely, Wilson V. Galloway, Glenn L. Tower, Emile R. Brissette, Dale I. Parshall, Axel A. Ruthstrom and Warren J. Dodge. (Aug. 22, War D.)

ENGINEERS.

The following colonels of Engineers, National Army, were on Aug. 20 assigned to regiments for duty as follows:

F. C. Boggs to 315th Engrs., Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, 90th Div.
G. B. Pillsbury to 115th Engrs., Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal., 40th Div.
William Kelly, Engrs., to 117th Engrs.
S. A. Cheney to 110th Engrs., Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla., 35th Div.
E. H. Schulz to 109th Engrs., Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 34th Div.
G. B. Pillsbury to Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal., 40th Div., 115th Engrs.
P. S. Bond to 107th Engrs., Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, 32d Div.
J. C. Oakes to 113th Engrs., Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., 38th Div.
M. J. McDonough to 114th Engrs., Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La., 39th Div.
C. W. Ottwell to 104th Engrs., Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., 29th Div.
H. B. Ferguson to 105th Engrs., Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C., 30th Div.
Lytle Brown to 106th Engrs., Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Div. (Aug. 20, War D.)

FIELD ARTILLERY.

Major Levi G. Brown, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, 89th Division, as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)
Major William S. Bowen, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss., 38th Division, as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Oscar A. McGee, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 34th Division, as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)
Major Oliver P. M. Hazard, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C., 30th Division, for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Richard L. McKenney, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C., 81st Division, for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)
Major George M. Russell, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Sherman, Montgomery, Ala., 37th Division, for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Charles Burnett, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Division, for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)
Col. Philip R. Ward, F.A., Nat. Army, to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Division, for duty with Heavy Field Artillery. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of Field Artillery, Nat. Army, to Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Edward Carpenter, F.A., with Heavy Field Artillery; Lieut. Col. Emery C. Smith, F.A., with Light Artillery; Lieut. Col. Charles G. Mortimer, F.A., assignment with Light Artillery; Major Herbert B. Hayden, F.A., assignment with Light Artillery. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of Field Artillery, Nat. Army, to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., 91st Division, for duty: Lieut. Col. Clarence B. Smith with Heavy Field Artillery; Lieut. Col. William S. Wood with Light Artillery; Major George R. Allin with Light Artillery; Major Kenneth S. Perkins with Light Artillery; Major Ralph E. Herring as division O.O.; Major Clark Lynn, Inf., as brigade adjutant, depot brigade; Major Henry R. Casey with Heavy Field Artillery. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of Field Art., Nat. Army, to duty Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Division: Lieut. Col. Thomas D. Osborne, with Light Art. regiment; Lieut. Col. William F. Morrison, with Light Art. regiment; Major Hugh S. Brown, with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Major Stuart A. Howard, as brigade adjutant, depot brigade; Majors Frederick M. Barrows and Samuel R. Hopkins, with Light Art. regiment. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill., 86th Division: Lieut. Col. Edmund L. Gruber, to Light Art. regiment; Lieut. Col. Francis N. Cooke, to Heavy Field Art. regiment; Major Marshall Magruder, to Light Art. regiment; Major Charles P. Hollingsworth, to Light Art. regiment; Major Stanley S. Ross, to Heavy Field Art. regiment; Major Richard H. Lewis, Inf., as brigade adjutant, depot brigade, 86th Division, Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Officers of Field Art. of National Army to duty Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., 82d Division: Lieut. Col. Elijah B. Martindale, jr., with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Lieut. Col. Charles S. Blakely, with Light Art. regiment; Major Philip H. Worcester, as division O.O.; Major Troup Miller, as brigade adjutant, depot brigade; Major Willis G. Peace, with Heavy Field Art. regiment; Major Wilbur Rogers, with Light Art. regiment. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Lieutenant colonels Field Art., National Army, to duty as follows: Samuel Frankenberg to Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, 90th Division, and Charles J. Ferris to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., 80th Division, with Light Art. regiments; Richard T. Ellis to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., 85th Division, duty with Heavy Field Art. regiment. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Major John S. Pratt, F.A., N.A., to Camp Kearny, Linda Vista, Cal., 40th Division, as division O.O. (Aug. 22, War D.)
Major Charles L. Fisher, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Div., for duty with Heavy Field Artillery regiment. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Major Hartman L. Butler, Field Art., Nat. Army, to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga., 31st Div., for duty as division O.O. (Aug. 22, War D.)
First Lieut. Henry G. Chapman, F.A., Nat. Army, to Plattsburg Bks., N.Y., for duty. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Major George W. Cochen, F.A., Nat. Army, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Div., for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)
Major Harry S. Grier, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Division, for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)

Major Henry S. Brinkerhoff, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., 85th Division, as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)
Major Reginald H. Kelley, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., 29th Division, for duty as division inspector. (Aug. 21, War D.)

INFANTRY.

The following majors, Infantry, of National Army, to duty as division inspectors at places named: John F. Clapham to Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla., 35th Div.; Clement H. Wright to Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, La., 39th Div.; Austin M. Pardee to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., 76th Div.; Vaughn W. Cooper to Camp Upton, Yaphank, L.I., N.Y., 77th Div.; Samuel G. Talbot to Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md., 79th Div.; Thorne Strayer to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., 82d Div.; John J. Fulmer to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky., 84th Div.; James G. Taylor to Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., 87th Div.; Cary I. Crockett to Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa, 88th Div.; Robert T. Phinney to Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, 90th Div.; Avery D. Cummings to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., 91st Div. (Aug. 21, War D.)

The following majors of Infantry, Nat. Army, to duty at places named as division ordnance officers: John T. Sayles to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M., 34th Div.; Thomas F. McNeil to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., 37th Div.; Joseph V. Kusnik to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, 36th Div.; Channing E. Delaplane to Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla., 35th Div. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Major James A. Shannon, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Mills, Garden City, N.Y., with 42d Division. (Aug. 22, War D.)
Major Stephen O. Fugus, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala., 37th Division, for duty as chief of staff. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Col. Samuel V. Ham, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio, 83d Division, for duty with depot troops. (Aug. 22, War D.)
Lieut. Col. Albert W. Foreman, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va., 80th Division, for duty. (Aug. 22, War D.)

Lieut. Col. James W. Furlow, Inf., Nat. Army, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, for duty as division Q.M. (Aug. 22, War D.)
Lieutenant colonels of Infantry, Nat. Army, to Camp Dix, Wrightstown, N.J., 78th Division, for duty: G. Souard Turner, George B. Pond, Clifton C. Kinney, Edgar A. Myer, Walt C. Johnson, William M. Connel, Paul C. Galleher and James T. Watson. (Aug. 22, War D.)

THE NAVY.

NAVY CONFIRMATIONS.

Nominations confirmed by the Senate Aug. 23, 1917.

The Senate on Aug. 23 confirmed all the Navy nominations of Aug. 17 of warrant officers to be ensigns for temporary service, as per list published in our issue of Aug. 25, page 1753.

NAVY GAZETTE.

During the week ending Aug. 30 the following officers have been detailed to sea or shore duty as indicated below:

For sea duty—Lieut. Comdr. A. B. Reed, Ensign H. A. Stanley (T), Asst. Surg. P. N. Fiske, L. W. Johnson, L. C. Beiler and G. S. Whiteside, Dental Surgs. L. C. Montgomery, P. N. Fiske and M. E. Harrison, Asst. Paymr. S. H. Dixon, jr., Asst. Naval Constr. G. A. Lazar (T), Acting Chaplain W. B. Conger, Ensigns E. J. Jennings (T), W. H. Klapproth (T), W. A. Murphy (T) and W. C. Frocknow (T), Gunners J. A. Lemanski (T), W. H. Payne (T), C. P. Porter (T) and M. S. Brainard (T), Chief Mach. J. H. Bush.

To shore duty—Lieut. C. F. Poulard, R. R. Mann and H. Delano, Lieut. (J.G.) H. G. Gates, jr., W. B. Jupp, F. E. Johnson, H. L. White, S. H. Geer, A. W. Dunn, jr., C. F. Greene, R. Dudley, J. B. Timberlake, W. H. Geisenhoff, T. B. Conger, jr., and S. Davis, Ensigns L. Dombroski, M. Y. Cohen, W. E. Mallory, L. J. Strecher, C. D. Swain, J. S. Farnsworth, M. C. Partello, J. R. Kyle, J. M. Lewis and J. S. Ray, P. A. Surgs. C. L. Moran and R. W. McDowell, Asst. Naval Constr. F. Mackle.

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Publishes information relative to the clothing accounts of Reservists.

MARINE CORPS CONFIRMATIONS.

Marine Corps confirmations of Aug. 27 will be found on pages 33-34.

MARINE CORPS ORDERS.

AUG. 25.—Capt. James H. Johnston, N.N.V., detached Marine Bks., Boston; to Marine Bks., Philadelphia.
Second Lieut. Stephen Elliott, retired, relieved from active service.

AUG. 27.—Col. Ben H. Fuller detached Hdqrs., M.C.; to command Marine Bks., Philadelphia, and 1st Regiment.
Second Lieut. Kirt Green, detached Naval Prison, Portsmouth; to Marine Bks., navy yard, New York.
Second Lieut. William F. Becker detached Naval Prison, Portsmouth; to Marine Bks., Philadelphia.

Second Lieut. John P. Harvie detached Naval Prison, Portsmouth; to Marine Bks., Quantico, Va.
Second Lieut. Henry A. Riekers detached Marine Bks., Philadelphia; to Marine Detach., Naval Prison, Portsmouth.
Second Lieut. Edward P. Oliver detached Marine Bks., navy yard, New York; to Marine Detach., Naval Prison, Portsmouth.
Capt. L. S. Willis assigned duty command Marine Bks., Portsmouth.

Major James McE. Huey detached Marine Bks., Naval Prison, Portsmouth; to duty at sea.
AUG. 28.—Second Lieut. Eugene L. Mullaly, M.C.R., and 2d Lieut. Carl E. Clark, M.C.R., detached Marine Bks., Mare Island, Cal.; to duty Marine Bks., San Diego.

Col. Charles G. Long detached Marine Bks., Philadelphia; to duty Hdqrs., M.C.
AUG. 29.—Second Lieut. Earl B. Hammond detached Marine Bks., Mare Island, Cal.; to duty charge recruiting district of Portland, Ore.
Capt. John Q. Adams detached Marine Bks., Boston; to duty at sea.

AUG. 30.—Capt. Norman C. Bates and 1st Lieut. William G. Hawthorne detached Marine Bks., Mare Island, Cal.; to duty at sea.
Second Lieut. Frank N. Gilmore detached recruiting duty Fresno, Cal.; to Marine Bks., San Diego, Cal.

Second Lieut. John A. McDonald to duty command Marine Bks., Hingham, Mass.
Second Lieut. Clinton K. Seymour, M.C.R., detached Marine Bks., Quantico, Va.; to duty office Judge Advocate General, Navy Dept.

Capt. Frank B. Garrett detached command Marine Bks., Hingham, Mass.; to Marine Bks., Quantico, Va.
Major William H. Clifford, M.C.R., detached Marine Bks., Philadelphia; to duty Marine Bks., Quantico, Va.

Second Lieut. Frederick Wahlstrom died in France Aug. 21, 1917.

THE WEST POINT GRADUATION.

The class of 1918 at the U.S. Military Academy, numbering 152, including two Filipino cadets, was graduated on Aug. 30 with ceremonies that were shorn little of their usual formality and which were given a note of even deeper gravity than in recent years by the atmosphere of wartime surcharging all emotions. The First Class was graduated ten months ahead of its due time, and is the second class to be graduated this year, the first time such a thing has happened since 1861.

The formalities and festivities began on Aug. 29, when a review intended for Secretary of War Baker, who did not arrive on that day, was taken over by Col. Thomas Q. Donaldson, U.S.A., I.G., who is making the annual inspection of the post. The cadets paraded in white duck, and there was a reception at the quarters of the Superintendent, Col. Samuel E. Tillman, U.S.A., following the review. The graduation ball was held in the gymnasium in the evening.

Secretary Baker, accompanied by Major Gen. Hugh L. Scott, Chief of Staff, arrived at the post on the morning of Aug. 30 and reviewed the battalion of cadets before the graduating exercises. The exercises took place in the shadow of the Battle Monument on Trophy Point. Fine weather favored the cadets during the early morning hours, but Mr. Baker hardly had delivered his address to the graduates when the rain came down and spoiled many fine gowns of women friends and relatives and dampened the ardor of not a few of the spectators, who wished to see the presentation of diplomas which took place in a downpour of rain. Secretary Baker spoke briefly on the reasons why we are at war, ending with this appeal to the cadets: "When you go into the great Army now about to be organized, I want to ask you to remember that every one of the enlisted men entrusted to your care is somebody's son, and that every one of them is a soldier of your country and his. Do your part to make ours a disciplined but a democratic Army; a clean thinking, a clean living Army. Set for your men, always, an example of the highest courage and true democracy."

Secretary Baker handed all the cadets present with their diplomas except in the case of Cadet Walker Gibson White whose grandfather, Brig. Gen. H. G. Gibson, class of 1847, was on the stand and performed that function.

Col. Samuel E. Tillman, Superintendent of the Academy, introduced Mr. Baker in one of the most interesting of introductory speeches ever delivered at a West Point graduation. Colonel Tillman said it was the second time within the history of the Military Academy that two classes had been graduated in the same year. Only once before, in 1861, had a similar situation prevailed. Classes have been graduated prematurely, he said, but never but the once before mentioned had two classes gone out into the Army from the Military Academy in one year. Chaplain H. P. Silver delivered the opening prayer.

Two cadets did not graduate with their classmates—Cyril C. Courture, the honor man of the class, and John T. Bell, of Wilburn, Va., whose diplomas were delayed for consideration of some infraction of the Academy regulations. Cadet Henry Herman Pohl, of Alexandria, was honored as the first man. He ranked next to Cadet Courture. Many alumni were present at the ceremonies. The class of 1867 held its reunion dinner in the officers' mess on the night of Aug. 29. The new officers left the post at noon for a brief visit to their homes. They will report for active duty Sept. 15.

Most of the members of the class of 1918 went to New York city after the graduation exercises and saw "Hitchy Koo" at the Liberty Theater. Almost the entire theater was occupied by the new officers and their friends. At the start of the second act a drop curtain especially prepared was lowered. It showed the parade ground at the Point and drew a mighty cheer. Cadet Elmer Oliphant, 1919, on behalf of his class, invited the graduates to a dinner at the Hotel Astor after the performance, and extended the invitation to the members of the "Hitchy Koo" company, bringing cheers from them.

The complete lists of the graduating class with their standing and leave addresses are printed on page 12 of this issue.

WEST POINT.

West Point, N.Y., Aug. 28, 1917.

The post has seemed deserted without the cadets, who have been absent for the last fortnight at maneuver work in the surrounding country on this side of the Hudson; they returned before daylight on Friday morning in the driving rain, while a machine gun served to keep off an imaginary attacking party; since the return of the cadets visitors have been arriving in large numbers for graduation week; the hotel is crowded and the hops on Saturday evening and on Monday and Tuesday evenings were attended and enjoyed by many; the graduation hop will be given in the gymnasium on Wednesday evening; Wednesday afternoon's program includes the review for the Secretary of War, the Superintendent's and Mrs. Tillman's reception to the Secretary of War and Mrs. Baker, and the Chief of Staff and Mrs. Scott, and the graduation parade. The graduation exercises will be held on Thursday morning near the battle monument, weather permitting; otherwise in the gymnasium.

Colonel Carter has been appointed professor of philosophy, succeeding Colonel Gordon, who retired in April; Colonel Carter has been adjutant for the past two years. He and his family will soon move into the quarters lately occupied by Colonel Holt. Several officers have received orders relieving them from duty at West Point; among those who have already started for training camp duty are Majors W. D. Smith, Chaffee, Stillwell and Manley; Colonel Markham is among those who will soon leave.

The selection and assignment of quarters for members of the new detail and officers wishing to change houses took place on Saturday; there will be considerable moving for the next week or so until all are settled. Those who will occupy new quarters are noted in the list which follows: The only change in Professors' row is that No. 37 will be occupied by Colonel Carter; Colonel Holt, who formerly lived in the house, having moved to No. 34, Colonel Gordon's former quarters; those officers who continue to occupy the same quarters are omitted from the list; T means temporary; A will be occupied by Col. Markham (T); B, Capt. Harding; D, Capt. Crawford (both floors); E, Capt. King; F, Major Worcester (T); G, Capt. Westover (T); H, Capt. Benedict (T); H, Capt. Gruber (T); No. 4, Major Simonds (T); No. 6, Capt. Cook (T); No. 10, Major W. D. Smith (T); No. 10, Major Chaffee (T); No. 13, Capt. J. W. Jones (both floors); No. 24, Capt. Lee; No. 26, Capt. English; No. 30, Capt. Keyes; No. 32, Capt. Cramer; No. 34, Capt. Stuart; No. 36, Capt. Bingham; No. 39, Capt. Thorpe; No. 40, Capt. Brewer; No. 42, Capt. Holington; No. 44, Capt. Strong; No. 50, Capt. Corroft; No. 54, Capt. Evans Jones; No. 56, Capt. Phelan; No. 58, Capt. Gance; No. 60, Capt. Pillans; No. 66, Capt. Bull; No. 68, Capt. Chamber-

lin; No. 70, Major Watson; No. 72, Capt. Thomlinson; No. 74, Capt. Hanna; No. 76, Capt. Dixon; No. 78, Capt. Patten; No. 80, Major Haskins; No. 82, Capt. Silvey (whole house); No. 84, Capt. Hannum; No. 86, Capt. Young; No. 51, Lieut. Churchill; No. 53, Capt. Moreton; No. 51, Capt. Gee; No. 63, Capt. Matheson; No. 67, Capt. Harding; No. 69, Capt. Torrey; No. 73, Capt. Weaver; No. 75, Capt. Crittenberger; Col. Estes and Major Coburn (T), Bachelor building.

Mrs. Sohlbert, wife of Capt. Oscar Sohlbert, was the guest of Col. and Mrs. Stuart for a few days recently. Mrs. Chamberlain, wife of Colonel Chamberlain, U.S.A., and Mrs. Barnes, wife of Major H. S. Barnes, are at the hotel, as are also Mrs. Heiner and Miss Mary Heiner. Capt. and Mrs. Morrison's guest for the week is Miss Cordelia Wallace, daughter of Col. William Wallace, Inf. Capt. and Mrs. Matheson and children have been spending several days visiting Capt. and Mrs. Gee while they are getting settled in their new quarters. Capt. and Mrs. Moreton's guests for a few days have been Capt. and Mrs. Stuart and Captain Hiram.

Guests of Col. and Mrs. Carter at an informal supper on Sunday were Mrs. Chamberlain, Mrs. Barnes, Cadets Steen and Barnes. Mrs. Hunt and daughters, Virginia and Margaret, left on Tuesday for Ulster, where they will visit before proceeding to Petersburg, Va., to join Colonel Hunt. Capt. and Mrs. Morrison's week-end guests were Captain Morrison's parents and sister. Col. and Mrs. Fieberger had dinner on Tuesday for Gen. and Mrs. Lockwood, who leave West Point this week.

Mrs. Rethers, who had been visiting Mrs. Manley and Mrs. Morrison for a few days before leaving the post, spent Sunday at Briarcliff as the guest of Mrs. Weston, widow of General Weston; on Tuesday Mrs. Rethers started for California, stopping on the way to make a few visits before joining her parents, Gen. and Mrs. Lester of Los Angeles.

The films of Marguerite Clark in "Snow White" were shown on the plain in front of Camp Mills on Saturday evening to a delighted audience; the last color-line concert of the season was given on Sunday evening. Capt. Blaine A. Dixon is assigned to duty as treasurer of the U.S.M.A. and commissary for cadets, relieving Major Estes, and Captain Torrey succeeds Major Smith as assistant to the adjutant. Chaplain Silver preached a most inspiring sermon to the graduation class on Sunday morning, and at the close of the service Bibles were presented to the members of the class, according to the custom of many years' standing.

The Belgian commission visited West Point on Monday afternoon, and the corps turned out in review in their honor at Hudson by yacht, and the party included Lieutenant General Leclercq, Major Osterrieth, Lieutenant Comte d'Ureel, Capt. T. C. Cook, U.S.A., aid to General Leclercq; Lord Aberdeen and the escort, Mr. George T. Wilson, Major Gen. Daniel Appleton, Major DeWitt Clinton Falls, Lieut. George W. Burleigh and Mr. H. A. Watkins. Recent visitors at the post were Col. G. G. Heiner, Col. J. A. Hunt, Capt. J. R. Deavey and Capt. E. W. Taulbee.

THE NAVAL ACADEMY.

Annapolis, Md., Aug. 27, 1917.

The midshipmen will be allowed to carry out their football schedule after all, and probably the events in all other branches of athletics with out-of-town teams, according to information received by the officials of the athletic department of the Naval Academy. The midshipmen are rejoicing over this announcement, as it would be rather dull times in outdoor life at the institution without athletics in the routine program. Football was given a blow a few days ago when the authorities here received a letter from the Navy Department in which it was stated that games with outside teams would not be permitted because of the war, but this action has now been reconsidered, and the midshipmen may go ahead arranging their program for the fall campaign. While the letter received at the Naval Academy especially referred to football, it is generally understood it will be made applicable to all branches of sport during the winter and spring seasons.

The corps of master-at-arms at the Naval Academy is being constantly increased, owing to the increased number of midshipmen for the coming academic term. Three who recently secured appointments, and have entered upon their duties, are Messrs. Harry L. Brewer and Daniel Medford, of Annapolis, and Mr. Blaisdell, formerly an enlisted man.

Comdr. Raymond Stone and little son, John, left Saturday for a ten days' trip to his former home, Mobile, Ala. He will visit his mother, who is now at her summer home on Mobile Bay. The Japanese envoys, headed by Viscount Ishii, on Saturday visited the Naval Academy. Accompanying the envoys were Brig. Gen. James A. Irons, U.S.A., Capt. Charles Marsh, U.S.N., and Lieut. Comdr. Byron McCandless, U.S.N. In addition to Viscount Ishii, in the party were Vice Admiral Takeshita, Major General Suganq, Commander Ando and Major Tankawa; Masanao Hanihara, consul general at San Francisco; Matsuo Nagi, secretary of the foreign office; Tadeano, vice consul; Tashiro Owaku, secretary, and Douglas L. Dunbar, American secretary to the mission. They reviewed the regiment of midshipmen and witnessed an infantry drill by the fourth class midshipmen, the only class now at the academy, the rest of the regiment being on leave.

Ensign Robert L. Welch, son of Dr. Welch and Mrs. Welch, of Annapolis, recently appointed an assistant surgeon in the Navy, who has been spending some time with his parents, left last week for New York. Former Capt. J. E. Abbott, U.S.A., who has been attached to the 6th Cavalry, has received the appointment as Major of Infantry, National Army, and is assigned to the 86th Division at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. Major Abbott's home is in Annapolis.

Rear Admiral Hibbert, of the British navy, accompanied by Consul General Fraser, of Baltimore, was a guest of Superintendent and Mrs. Eberle on Sunday. Admiral Hibbert arrived at 10:30 in the morning, and with Consul General Fraser attended services at the Navy Academy chapel.

Little Betty Davis, daughter of Lieut. Guy E. Davis, U.S.N., and Mrs. Davis, of Carvel Hall, is quite ill at the emergency hospital.

FORT ETHAN ALLEN.

Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., Aug. 26, 1917.

There was great excitement here last week when a part of the 1st Vermont Infantry was ordered away. The soldiers packed hurriedly, and were ready as soon as trains could be procured. About 1,800 went, leaving a few in each company around which will be recruited a new regiment. Four troops of the 2d Cavalry have been ordered away to some of the large camps, to take charge of the horses and mules. There was a delay in getting transportation, but some of the troops are leaving to-day. About fifty medical officers have arrived to take charge of the medical recruits.

Miss Margaret Sutherland, who has been visiting Mrs. Amory, has returned to her home at Montreal, Canada. Major W. F. Martin left Thursday for Wrightstown, N.J., to take part in organizing the new Army. Mrs. Martin is packing to leave by the first part of next week. A farewell hop was given in the post headquarters Thursday night for General Dickman. Practically all the people from the post were present and termed it a delightful success. General Dickman and Lieutenant Foster left Friday evening for Battle Creek, Mich., where the General is to command one of the new divisions. Miss Francis Melver, who has been visiting Mrs. Smedberg, has returned to her home in Washington, D.C. Judge James F. Tracey and Mrs. Tracey motored up from Albany last Saturday and are the guests of Col. and Mrs. W. C. Rivers. Lieut. Col. A. Romeyn left Friday night for his new station at Ayer, Mass. Miss Nina Romeyn, Colonel Romeyn's sister, left Saturday for Washington. Major E. M. O'Leary has gone to Wrightstown, N.J. Mrs. O'Leary and children are staying in Plainfield until quarters can be found near Major O'Leary's camp. Major H. A. Leonauser has been

relieved from quartermaster duty by Captain Cogswell and is to be military instructor at the University of Vermont. Miss Nancy Ross celebrated her eighth birthday last Saturday with a delightful party. Cake, ice cream, lemonade and candies were served and games were played. The following young people were present: Misses Marjorie and Mildred English, Kathleen Colley, Helen Fowler, Elvira Pope, Helen and Francis Bullock, Martha Hicham, Dorothy Ross and Masters Wallace DeWitt, Mercer Gosman, Walter Martin and George Smedberg.

PLATTSBURG BARRACKS.

Plattsburg Barracks, N.Y., Aug. 27, 1917.

Capt. and Mrs. Lough, who were with the 30th Infantry, arrived on Saturday. Captain Lough is one of the instructors of the second training camp, which opens to-day. Capt. and Mrs. Pritchett arrived also on Saturday and the Captain is detailed as an instructor at the camp.

Col. and Mrs. S. M. de Laffre returned from their motor trip on Saturday. Captain Barton reported for duty on Saturday. Mrs. Whitman, her son and sister, Miss Edgerton, left on Friday. Colonel Whitman left last week for Atlanta, where he assumes command of an Infantry regiment of the National Army. Mrs. Whitman goes to Akron, Ohio, for a short visit to her family and will join Colonel Whitman later. Mrs. Wolf gave a farewell tea to her mother, Mrs. Hobart, last Wednesday.

Col. E. A. Root arrived Sunday and is at the barracks packing. Col. and Mrs. Root will leave here about Sept. 1. Miss Frances Murray spent a few days last week at Lake Placid Club, the guest of Miss Geraldine Griswold. Mrs. Weed entertained on Sunday at supper. Capt. and Mrs. Baer, Captain Wallace, Lieutenant Kellogg and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sothern, of the Reserve Corps. Capt. H. Fleet remains as one of the instructors at the second training camp. Capt. and Mrs. Baer motored to Lake Placid last week, spending a week at the Lake Placid Club. They returned on Wednesday.

Major Wainwright, ordered to Ayer, Mass., for duty, left with Mrs. Wainwright and their son, Jack, immediately. Mrs. Duke, wife of Captain Duke, is the guest in town of Mrs. Watson while the Captain is abroad. Mrs. Wolf spent Sunday at Lake Placid Club. Mrs. Shaw gave a tea to a number of friends on Tuesday.

Two short Jap plays are being gotten up for the "Girls' Club," coached by Miss Davis, of the Washington Square players, at the Elks Club on Saturday evening. Miss Dorothy Foote is the property manager and Miss Katherine Johnson is the head of the decorating committee.

Major H. E. Knight, made a lieutenant colonel of the National Army at Louisville, Ky., reports there at once. Miss Frances Murray and Miss Dorothy Foote have returned from Valcour Island, where they went camping.

NORFOLK NAVY YARD.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 20, 1917.

Mrs. R. Bland Williams has returned to her home, Wyanoke Apartments, from a visit in Washington. Mrs. Monroe Kelly has returned to her home, Fairfax avenue, after spending a short time in Washington. Mrs. Isaac W. Kite and Miss Anita Kite, of Washington, guests at Wiloughby Beach, have gone to Atlantic City. Miss Dorothy Hayden has returned to her home, after visiting in Washington and Annapolis. Miss Ruth Claude, of Annapolis, is the guest of Miss Dorothy Pickrell. Miss Anne Groner has left for Marblehead, Mass., to be the guest of Mrs. Henry A. Knowles; later she will be the guest of Mrs. Frank L. Grosvenor, Winsted, Conn., and Mrs. Carroll Post, Norfolk, Conn., before returning home in October. Ensign C. G. Richardson has returned from two weeks' leave in Maine and Connecticut. Mrs. Randolph B. Kennon has left for Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, Va. Lieut. John C. Duffy, who has just received his commission as lieutenant in the Infantry, has arrived in Norfolk to spend a short time with his grandfather, Mr. William T. Core. Capt. Henry N. Manney, jr., has returned to Quantico from a week-end stay at Wiloughby Beach, to be with Mrs. Manney and baby. Cadet Thomas Hay Nixon, of West Point, is the guest of his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Young, York street.

Capt. Paul C. Marrison, U.S.M.C., is spending a few days in Norfolk. Mrs. J. A. B. Smith, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Muser, at Ridgewood, N.J., has returned to her home, Mantee street, where she has as her guest Mrs. Alfred I. Preston, jr., of New York city. Lieut. J. Ward, U.S.M.C., has returned from Paris Island, S.C., and is the guest of friends in Portsmouth.

Ensign S. M. Byers had a dinner at the Monticello on Sunday for Misses Virginia and Eloise Weaver, Catherine Old, of Portsmouth; Ensign J. C. Plonk and Miss J. E. Allen. Miss Dorothy Pickrell had a card party Friday for her guest, Miss Ruth Claude, of Annapolis, and for Mesdames Ovid C. Foote, Richard R. Claghorn, William H. Ruperts, N. J. Leonard, Misses Marjorie Brown, Mildred Hamingway, Anne Foster, Louise Robinson, Rosalie Martin and Virginia Cassell.

Lieut. Branch Moreland, U.S.A., is spending some time at Hot Springs, Ark., before returning to Fort Monroe for duty. Lieutenants Clarkson and Raymond Meredith, U.S.A., and U.S.R., respectively, are spending their leave with their parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Meredith, Park avenue. Mrs. Maurice Hudgins had a dance and farewell party at Westhaven on Thursday evening for Mr. Joseph Biliely, U.S.N. Mrs. Clyde G. West has returned from an extended visit to her son-in-law and daughter, Lieut. and Mrs. W. N. Richardson, Detroit, Mich.

Major and Mrs. Harry B. Jordan, U.S.A., of the Arsenal, San Antonio, will arrive this evening to be the guests of Mrs. Jordan's mother, Mrs. Nathaniel Burruss, en route to Washington. Major Jordan has been ordered abroad. Sergt. Washington T. Capps and Corp. T. Lee Capps, sons of J. T. Capps, formerly of Norfolk, and nephews of Rear Admiral Washington L. Capps, who spent their boyhood life in Norfolk and received their education at Maury High School, are now in France doing duty in the Engineer Corps.

Mrs. Willard H. Jordan had a supper party last week for Misses Anne Byrd Waller, Mary Land, Ensigns Lefter and Dillon. Miss Margaret Land had an informal dance last week for her guests, Mrs. W. A. Bryant and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hoffmann, of Catonsville, Md. Among the guests were Messrs. Berryman Green and Albert Callow, U.S.N. Ensign James Frey Hall, U.S.N., is the guest of Mrs. John Webb, Colonial avenue, where he will be joined by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Frey Hall, in the near future. Miss Jean Jervoy has returned from Waynesboro, Va., where she has been spending some time with Mrs. W. W. Gwathmey and Mrs. Lyl A. Davidson.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 27, 1917.

Lieut. Charles S. Wilcox, U.S.M.C., is the guest of his father, Judge Thomas Wilcox, at his home, Freemason street. Mrs. Washington B. Grove is spending some time at the home of her mother, Mrs. Pembroke Thompson, Summit Point, W.Va. Major Harry B. Jordan, who recently arrived here from the arsenal, San Antonio, to be the guest of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Nathaniel Burruss, has left for Washington, to report for foreign service. Mrs. Albert W. Grant is a guest at the Monticello Hotel.

Lieut. William McBlair Garrison, U.S.A., guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Garrison, has left for Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. Lieut. Charles Etheredge, U.S.M.C., guest of his parents, has returned to Quantico. Mrs. C. C. Carson and little daughter, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oldfield, have returned to Fort Monroe. Mrs. J. M. Marshall, wife of Lieut. J. M. Marshall, jr., and little daughter, of Brooklyn, are guests of Lieutenant Marshall's parents.

During the period of the war all Service officers and their families have been given the privileges of the Country Club and each day sees the golf links and tennis courts filled with them. Though the Saturday hops have not begun, many go

down for dinner and Sunday afternoons the porches and lawn are dotted with parties for tea.

Miss Mary Galt, of Montclair, N.J., has been the guest of Miss Rosa Perkins. Comdr. J. S. Parsons had a dinner on his yacht Alma Elizabeth, at Whoughby Bay, last evening for Mr. and Mrs. John Latham Owens and Misses Anna and Helen Young. Ensign T. J. Brown has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. and Miss Robinson at their cottage, Cape Henry, for a few days. Lieut. John E. Iseman is spending a few days in Washington. Lieut. Claude N. Bala, U.S.M.C., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Thomas Bala. Capt. H. N. Manney, Jr., has returned to Quantico from a week-end stay with Mrs. Manney and baby at Wiloughby Beach.

Major E. D. Ardery has arrived to relieve Col. James P. Jervay, in charge of Government engineering work in this vicinity. Mr. and Mrs. James Gaskins Simmons have announced the engagement and coming marriage of their daughter, Eloise, to Mr. E. J. Rudgard Wigg, Jr. Miss Simmons is the sister of Mrs. Charles Corwin Ross. Miss Marjorie Sibley, of Chicago, is the guest of Asst. Surg. and Mrs. Ovid C. Poole.

GALVESTON.

Galveston, Texas, Aug. 21, 1917.

Capt. Benjamin F. Delamater, 57th Inf., came down from Leon Springs on a brief leave to visit his wife and little sons, Master Ben, 3d, and Master John Grandison Delamater, who arrived a few days ago to bless the family circle. Mrs. James D. Walbach, mother of Lieut. J. B. Walbach, jr., entertained Misses Kate Waters Thompson and Elizabeth Keenan, and Lieut. John Nygaard, of Fort Crockett, at dinner at Hotel Galvez on Saturday. Mrs. Lucian Minor and daughters, Misses Anne and Dorothy Minor, will leave on Wednesday for Boston, where they will be met by Lieut. and Mrs. Lucian Minor, and will motor to North Conway, N.H., thence to Portland, Me.

Lieut. Minor is on an indefinite leave on account of illness. Major and Mrs. E. J. Wheeler came down from San Antonio for a sojourn at Hotel Galvez, as the major has been on duty at Leon Springs, and his visit here is for a rest and recreation between camps. The marriage of Miss Charlotte Jane Shepard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shepard, and Lieut. Heiman H. Treacor, who has just received his commission at the Reserve Officers' camp at Leon Springs, was solemnized at St. Patrick's Church on Saturday. Rev. Father J. S. Murphy, rector, and Very Rev. Father James M. Kierwin, rector of St. Mary's Cathedral officiating. Mrs. R. L. Fulton has returned from Gettysburg, where she visited her son and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Ed Taylor, and with them enjoyed a visit with Captain Taylor's parents, Col. and Mrs. Edward Taylor. Capt. and Mrs. Taylor left for Fort Sill, Okla.

FORT SNELLING.

Fort Snelling, Minn., Aug. 25, 1917.

Major Gen. and Mrs. William H. Sage left Wednesday for their new station, Hattiesburg, Miss. Miss Margaret Johnson, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, returned Monday from Duluth. Mrs. Frederick Dow, Fort Sheridan, Ill., guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Baird, left Friday for her home. Mrs. Cooke, guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. John Cooke, left Thursday for her home in New York. Captain Cooke left Thursday for Camp Pike, Little Rock.

Major Gary I. Crockett, an instructor in the recent student officers camp, left Thursday for Douglas, Ariz. Capt. and Mrs. Joseph F. Daley left Friday for Hattiesburg, Miss. Mrs. Rynhart and Miss Powell, from St. Louis, are guests of Mrs. Arthur Johnson. Major and Mrs. Edward A. Roche entertained Wednesday at dinner for Col. A. L. Farmer, Capt. and Mrs. Carrithers, Mrs. W. C. Whitener and Lieut. and Mrs. T. B. Arms.

Mrs. Davis, Helena, Mont., spent a few days at the garrison, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. B. Shaw, wife of Col. F. B. Shaw. Lieut. Col. J. F. Janda left Wednesday for Washington, D.C. Mrs. Janda will remain at this garrison until Sept. 15, when she will join Colonel Janda in Washington. Major and Mrs. Edward S. Keyser left Friday for Fort Riley, Kan. Col. A. L. Farmer, 76th Inf., has been made commanding officer of the post. Col. Joseph D. Leitch, 40th Inf., has been placed in charge of the second student officers' training camp, which opens Monday. Capt. Eugene M. Caffey, guest of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. Lochlin W. Caffey, will leave tomorrow for West Point. Col. George E. Houle left Thursday for Camp Dodge, Des Moines, to join his regiment.

Major John F. Frank, formerly instructor at the training camp, has gone to Fort Riley. Mrs. Langtry, Kansas City, guest of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph F. Daley, left for her home Tuesday. Lieut. Col. R. C. Hollister has arrived and has taken quarters No. 25, Infantry post. Capt. and Mrs. Samuel M. Parker left Thursday for Camp Dodge, Des Moines, for station. Miss Zola Brashear, St. Louis, is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Capt. and Mrs. Edward G. Sherburne. Capt. Samuel H. Houston left Friday for Hattiesburg to be aid to Major Gen. William H. Sage. Col. Berkeley Enoch is spending a few months in Alexandria, Va., as chief of staff for a divisional organization.

Capt. and Mrs. Edward G. Sherburne and Lieut. John D. Miley entertained Friday at a dancing party in the post gymnasium in honor of Miss Zola Brashear, St. Louis, guest of Capt. and Mrs. Sherburne, and Miss Miley, Washington, guest of her brother, Lieut. John D. Miley. Mrs. Norstrand, Leamington, Minn., entertained Tuesday at bridge in honor of Mrs. F. B. Carrithers.

GOVERNORS ISLAND.

Governors Island, N.Y. Harbor, Aug. 29, 1917.

Important changes in the official personnel of the department headquarters took effect on Aug. 25, when Major Gen. J. Franklin Bell relinquished command, to assume command of Camp Upton, Yaphank, Long Island. Accompanying General Bell to Camp Upton were Majors E. E. Booth, Creswell Garlington, W. N. Haskell and Capt. P. L. Thomas. Other changes include the departure of Brig. Gen. Francis G. Irwin, Colo. John C. McArthur, John Howard and James F. Brady for Camp Gordon, Atlanta; Col. A. P. Gardner has gone to Macon, Ga.; Lieut. Col. Marion W. Howze has left to join General Bell's staff at Yaphank.

Brig. Gen. Eli D. Hoyle assumed command of the Eastern Department on Aug. 25. Gen. and Mrs. Hoyle are at present guests of Col. William A. Simpson. Mrs. Bell will join General Bell in a few days. Mrs. Ernest Garlington is with Mrs. Bell this week. Brig. Gen. Peter E. Traub has gone to Camp Ayer, Mass. Lieut. Col. Charles Y. Brownlee, assistant to the chief surgeon, Eastern Department, has taken quarters in Generals' row.

Great activity prevails on Governors Island in every department of official life. The boats are crowded on every trip to and from the city, and extra trips are made as required. The building operations already under way include a set of quarters adjoining the bachelors' mess for the officers of the disciplinary barracks; a set of Quartermaster barracks and mess hall for Q.M. employees near South Battery; a freight shed on the pier, old landing; thirty warehouses, each 348 feet long, to be of corrugated iron construction, on the west side of the island, beginning at the castle and extending along the waterfront to near the light house, where a car float dock will be installed. A railway track system will connect the various warehouses with the receiving and shipping dock. The Engineers' dock will be lengthened 100 feet and widened in proportion, and two store houses will be built, each 300 by 66 feet, and a large slip of standard size will be constructed on the north side of the island. Five hospital pavilions will be built to increase the efficiency of the post hospital. Cantonments are being built near the South Battery, extending southwest along the sea wall; three have been completed, to accommodate 800 men, with kitchens, shower baths, etc. Adjoining the cantonments is a large camp of tents. This has been named the Casual Overseas Camp, and is under command of Col. William C. Brown, with the following assistants: Capt. A. C. Burnham, M.E.C.; Capt. G. W. Cooke, U.S.E.; Capt. N. K. Nickoll,

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The roster of the camp shows 896 Medical Department men, 500 Quartermaster Corps, and 70 Ordnance Department men; a total of 1,439 enlisted men. These have come in detachments of various sizes from Forts Hamilton, Wadsworth, Riley, Douglas, Benjamin Harrison, Seattle, Ogleshope, Elms, El Paso, Nogales and Sam Houston. Instruction is given the Medical Department men daily in materia medica, first aid, manual of Medical Department, post and field sanitation, school of the soldier, ambulance and stretcher instruction and French. The latter is given by Prof. Jacques Bars, of Paris and New York, who has served in the French army, and whose sons are now at the front. Professor Bars gives his services entirely without compensation, and regards his work as "son petit but." Twenty-eight lessons, the professor says, will give a soldier a pretty good stock of military phrases for use in France. Lessons are given three times a week, and the average number in each class is 600.

Among guests in the garrison are Mrs. Prentiss Bassett, whose husband, late captain of the port of Colon, is on sea duty at present in the Navy. Mrs. Bassett was a guest of Col. and Mrs. Charles Richard. Brig. Gen. and Mrs. John S. Mallory, who arrived a week or more ago from Camp Gaillard, Panama, have been guests of Chaplain and Mrs. Edward B. Smith. Gen. and Mrs. Mallory were at West Point this week to witness the graduation of their son, Cadet Jack Mallory, and on Sept. 1 General Mallory goes to his station as one of the brigade commanders at Camp Dix, Wrightstown. Mrs. Annie B. Dodsworth is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Henry G. Stahl. Mrs. Hamilton Rowan spent Tuesday with Mrs. E. B. Smith.

An informal dance was given at the club house on the evening of Aug. 17, and on Aug. 28 a hop was given for cadets about to return to the Academy at the end of their furlough. Those present included Cadets McBride, Underwood, Clarence Townley, Edmund Bellinger, T. Q. Donaldson, Blanchard Shattuck, W. F. H. Godson, M. M. Corpening, of the Military Academy, and Cadet Augustus Donaldson, of the Naval Academy. Miss Ransom O'Hern, Miss Sue Shattuck and Cadets Godson and Corpening were guests of Mrs. Colden L.H. Ruggles, New York Arsenal.

MARE ISLAND.

Mare Island, Cal., Aug. 23, 1917.

A seven-table bridge party was given last Wednesday by Mrs. R. K. Van Mater and Mrs. E. G. Morsell at the quarters of the former. Mrs. T. D. Barber was hostess at a knitting party last Saturday in honor of Mrs. Brown, of Washington, D.C., house guest of Col. and Mrs. F. L. Bradman. Mrs. E. D. Ryan, wife of Pay Director Ryan, and daughter, Miss Eugenia, left last week for the return trip to Philadelphia after a few weeks' visit to the former's sister in Vallejo. Major C. A. Snoddy, who has been living in Vallejo for some time, left last week for Cheyenne, Wyo. Mrs. Frederick Seydel, wife of Lieutenant Seydel, who is visiting her parents in Oakland, has just returned to that city after a visit to the Yosemite.

Mrs. M. H. Simons, jr., arrived last week from Coronado and will spend a fortnight or more with her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. K. VanMater, before going East. Lieut. Valentine Fleming has returned to Vallejo after a short visit to San Pedro. Mrs. Frank Freyer is preparing to leave for the east coast, where she will probably spend the next two years. Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Freyer had made their home in San Francisco until receipt of a new assignment recently by the former.

Mrs. Woodward and Miss Edith Woodward have returned to the yard, the former from Southern California and the latter from a short trip East. Mrs. C. A. Carlson entertained informally last week for her house guest, Mrs. Potter, of San Francisco. Miss Ruth Hascall entertained this week for Naval Contr. and Mrs. Gawne. Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Toas, Naval Webb, Mr. Motby, Archibald Offey, Asst. Naval Contr. Harold Saunders and Lieutenant Sherman. Misses Katherine and Elizabeth Chestham, the little daughters of Pay Dir. and Mrs. J. J. Chestham, gave a party Saturday night for Elizabeth and Allen Shapley, Joseph Reeves, Betty Reeves, Richard and Donald Carlson and Robert Webb.

Pay Dir. and Mrs. Jonathan Brooks, who have been spending several months in Redlands for the benefit of the former's health, have purchased a handsome home there. Civil Engr. and Mrs. Hoard, who have been making their home in Berkeley,

have taken the quarters here in which P.A. Surg. and Mrs. E. E. Curtis lived. Mrs. R. G. Coman entertained at bridge Tuesday for the club, which includes Mesdames Carlson, Chamberlin, McClaskey, Hoyt, Whitmore, Fleming, Updegraff, Harding and Parker.

Lieut. Harry Whitthorne has been spending a few days with friends in Vallejo. Lieut. and Mrs. Harry Ganis have left their home at Montecito for San Diego, where they expect to spend some time. John Tyler, son of Mrs. M. H. Tyler and the late Lieutenant Tyler, U.S.N., has passed the examination held in July for a second lieutenant's commission in the Marine Corps. He will leave Vallejo, his home, this week for Paris Island, S.C., for intensive training. Lieut. and Mrs. Walter E. Budlong, whose marriage took place in San Francisco last week, have arrived at Vallejo for a short visit with friends before continuing North.

Night school courses are to be taken up by enlisted men as soon as arrangements can be made for teachers in Vallejo. There are so many opportunities now for advancement that scores of the men at the yard wish to qualify for higher ratings. The courses are being arranged through the Navy Y.M.C.A., and if possible teachers from the Vallejo schools will be secured and the classes will be run under the jurisdiction of the board of education of that city. Already nearly a score have formed a class for French and will start study as soon as a teacher can be secured.

The upper bulkhead of the city of Vallejo, behind which the Government dredger was pumping the material taken from the Mare Island channel in the deepening operations, gave way without warning Saturday morning and about 50,000 cubic yards of silt and fill washed back into the channel through the 150-foot gap. Under the agreement entered into between the Government and the city the latter must stand all expense for any damage occurring. Accordingly, the city will probably have to pay for the dredging of the channel at the point where the material deposited. The break occurred just six hours before the entire reclamation project would have been completed, and the loss represents twenty-five per cent. of the work done. It is improbable that any further attempt to place material behind the bulkhead will be made for the present, as it is feared another break might occur.

FIFTH INFANTRY NOTES.

Empire, C.Z., Aug. 14, 1917.

Miss Elizabeth Johnson spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Charles A. Dravo, at Gatun. A number from the Porto Rico regiment came over Wednesday for the informal weekly dance at band concert; Miss Julia Head was a guest of Mrs. James A. Moss, coming out from Ancon for the dance and dinner; Father Collins, from Balboa Heights, dined with Colonel Johnson; Capt. d'Alary Fehet, up from Toro Point on Wednesday, was a dinner guest of Col. and Mrs. S. M. Waterhouse.

Mesdames Herman Glade and H. Huntington were Empire guests at a bridge luncheon given by Mrs. Green, of Fort Grant, on Thursday; Miss Elizabeth Johnson entertained at bridge for Mesdames Murray, Milburn, Klingensmith and Russell; Miss Johnson was a dinner guest of Mrs. J. E. Clagett. On Friday Mrs. Elbert Herman and Miss Mildred Herman, from Balboa Heights, were luncheon and dinner guests of Mrs. S. H. Hopen. Miss Norine Hall spent Friday night with Miss Pauline Moss.

The children of Empire are materially helping in the great cause of the Red Cross. A week or more ago the Boy Scouts visited all the homes and companies in the garrison asking for small donations of sugar, securing in all more than fifty pounds, which they turned in to Mrs. S. M. Waterhouse, who, with the assistance of some of the ladies, made it into delicious fudge and other candies, which the children sold in prettily decorated bags, realizing a total of \$40.

Before the monthly garrison hop Friday Col. and Mrs. Johnson entertained for thirty guests with a buffet supper. Capt. and Mrs. Fred W. Bugbee were also hosts that night at a large dinner party. Capt. and Mrs. Carpenter, Miss Williams and Capt. and Mrs. Dravo were over-night guests of Col. and Mrs. Johnson. Friday, the Dravos remaining over the week-end, Major and Mrs. Humphrey and Little May spent the week-end with Major and Mrs. Brady Mitchell, of Fort Grant. Mrs. Glade and Mrs. Clagett joined Miss Johnson and Mrs. Dravo at bridge Saturday. Captain Clagett had as his guests for dinner at the Metropole Saturday Colonel Johnson, Mrs. Clagett and Miss Elizabeth Johnson.

Chaplain Clifford Miller and Lieutenant Lee had dinner with Capt. and Mrs. Twyman on Sunday. That night Capt. and Mrs. J. C. Brady entertained at supper for Col. and Mrs.

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Waterhouse, whose twenty-second wedding anniversary it was, their other guests being Col. and Mrs. Woodbury, Col. J. K. Miller, Dr. and Mrs. Klingensmith and Miss Edith Ellis.

Mrs. J. C. Brady recently asked the men of Company I (her husband's company) for donations to the Red Cross, which was responded to most generously, the sum of \$57 being contributed. Lieut. Comdr. A. B. Reed, for two years captain of the port at Balboa, and Capt. P. P. Bassett, captain of the port at Cristobal for almost three years, have been relieved by Lieutenant Vincent, of the Navy, and Lieut. F. O. Fels, of the Naval Reserve. On Tuesday evening Captain Bassett was guest of honor at a banquet given at Hotel Washington, while on the following evening Commander Reed was given a farewell dinner at Hotel by the employees of the Pacific Terminal.

Major G. F. Baltzell, who received orders last week to return to the states, with Mrs. Baltzell and George, sailed yesterday. Capt. and Mrs. John W. McKie, Mr. Evan M. Johnson and many Army people from the other garrisons being passengers on the same transport. Among the large number expecting to sail later in the week are General Plummer and his aid, Col. and Mrs. John S. Mallory, Col. Charles H. Muir and family, Col. Gordon G. Heintz and family, Col. Evan M. Johnson, Lieut. Col. J. K. Miller, Major Oliver Edwards and family, Major Charles H. Paine and Madame Paine, and Majors Perry L. Miles and Henry C. Clement and Lieutenant Cornish.

HAWAIIAN NOTES.

Fort Shafter, H.T., Aug. 11, 1917.

Major and Mrs. William E. Hunt entertained at dinner on Saturday for Major and Mrs. Frederick L. Munson and their three children, Elizabeth, Frederick and Athalia. Major Munson and family were en route from Nagasaki, where he has been depot quartermaster for two years.

Capt. and Mrs. Ralph C. Holliday were guests of Miss Ruth Tubbs at a swimming party and tea at the Outrigger Club on Monday. Major and Mrs. William B. Cochran had dinner on Tuesday for Capt. and Mrs. Heidner, Mrs. Helen C. MacAdam and Major James A. Gallagher. After dinner Major and Mrs. Cochran took their guests to the card club.

Mrs. Charles S. Lincoln was hostess at tea at the Country Club Saturday. Capt. and Mrs. Holliday had as their guest for Sunday dinner the Rev. W. D. Westervelt. Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Isaac Jenks and Miss Dorothy Jenks were house guests of Major and Mrs. William B. Cochran during their stay in Honolulu, en route from the Philippines to the States.

Major and Mrs. William B. Cochran and Major and Mrs. Theodore A. Baldwin, Jr., were guests of Major and Mrs. C. W. Deering for a swimming party and tea. Lieut. Col. Guy C. Palmer was one of the guests at the elaborate dinner given on Monday in honor of the Japanese War Commission. Mrs. Edward F. Wittell is spending the week-end with Mrs. Charles S. Lincoln, Waikiki Beach.

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Palmer had as guests at the Country Club on Saturday for luncheon Lieut. Col. and Mrs. James Canby and Miss Dorothy Canby, en route from the Philippines. Little Miss Marion Lee Cochran celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary on Aug. 10, with a delightful party for her friends, when Miss Betty Baldwin and Miss Louise Cochran assisted in welcoming her playmates. Chief among the refreshments was an elaborate birthday cake bearing the name and date of birth, besides the six lighted candles, which were held in place by pink roses. Little Miss Marion was the recipient of many gifts and wishes for a long and happy life. The weekly Card Club met on Tuesday, with Mrs. William B. Cochran as hostess. Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Palmer entertained at dinner for sixteen on Friday. After dinner the party motored to the Country Club for the moonlight dance.

Schofield Barracks, H.T., Aug. 16, 1917.

In place of the regular bi-monthly hop at the 4th Cavalry Club on Wednesday, a jolly beach supper and dance was held at the Cavalry camp, near Waimea. Mr. and Mrs. Lyon, house guests of Lieut. and Mrs. Devers, have returned to Washington, D.C. On Friday Capt. and Mrs. Hunt gave a dinner for thirty before the 1st Infantry hop.

Mrs. Horn sailed on the Matsushima on Wednesday to visit her parents, Col. and Mrs. Howell, in San Francisco. Mrs. Banister was a bridge hostess on Wednesday for Meadames

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Jordan, Dickinson, Daly and McCleave. Mrs. John W. Corey spent several days with Major and Mrs. Pratt before leaving for the States.

Capt. and Mrs. Arnold were hosts on Saturday, at the Haleiwa Hotel, for fifteen couples. The ladies of the 1st Infantry have formed a bridge club to meet each week on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Blasland was hostess for the first meeting. Capt. and Mrs. Richardson entertained at dinner on Thursday for Major and Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. Hoffman and Lieutenant Sherman. On Thursday Mrs. Kiehl gave a luncheon for Meadames Brett, Bloomberg, Barney, Herr and Stearns.

Lieut. and Mrs. Ballinger had as dinner guests on Friday Capt. and Mrs. Chaney, Capt. and Mrs. Robinson, Lieutenants Milligan and Ballard. A delightful affair of the week was the dinner-dance on Wednesday at the Haleiwa Hotel, presided over by Colonel Berry.

Capt. and Mrs. Lowe were dinner hosts on Sunday for Capt. and Mrs. Sneed, Mrs. Manchester, Miss McKinley, Captains Smith and Riley. Capt. and Mrs. Leonard are being congratulated upon the arrival of a son on Aug. 8. Mrs. Carr was this week a hostess for the 25th Infantry Sewing Club. Major and Mrs. McIntyre, Colonel Sweigert and Major Kilbreth sailed on the Matsushima on Wednesday.

Capt. and Mrs. Stallman, Dr. and Mrs. Jewell enjoyed a day's outing and a picnic luncheon with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams at their summer camp on the peninsula. The officers of the 9th Field Artillery had their annual regimental dinner on Monday. Lieutenant White gave a dinner at the Haleiwa Hotel on Saturday for eighteen.

Mrs. Kumpe asked the ladies of the 1st Infantry to her home on Tuesday afternoon to make comfort bags for the soldiers in France.

FORT MONROE.

Fort Monroe, Va., Aug. 27, 1917.

Capt. and Mrs. F. H. Lincoln entertained at dinner Wednesday for Gen. and Mrs. Foote. Mrs. Shipton had as her dinner guests Tuesday Gen. and Mrs. Foote. Captain Koenig left Monroe Sunday for his new station in Washington, where Mrs. Koenig will join him in a few days. Gen. and Mrs. Foote left for Fort Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa, Thursday. Their departure was much regretted by the entire garrison. They were escorted to the train by the band and all officers and non-commissioned officers whose duties did not detain them.

Capt. and Mrs. Charles Hines are leaving this week for Washington, where Captain Hines will take up his new duties in the office of the Chief of Coast Artillery. Mrs. Shipton and Captain Bettison were dinner guests of Capt. and Mrs. Lincoln Sunday.

Mrs. Sunderland has returned to the post, bringing Mrs. McElgin, wife of Capt. H. J. B. McElgin, with her for a short visit. Mrs. W. G. Franks has returned to Washington after several weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Reybold.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

BORN.

DREISONSTOK.—Born at Washington, D.C., Aug. 24, 1917, to Lieut. and Mrs. J. Y. Dreisonstok, U.S.N., a son, Lloyd Harden Dreisonstok.

GALLAGHER.—Born at Detroit, Mich., Aug. 5, 1917, to Capt. and Mrs. Walter V. Gallagher, 37th U.S. Inf., a son, Robert Hugh Gallagher.

KENDALL.—Born at Boston, Mass., Aug. 19, 1917, to Lieut. and Mrs. Clifton P. Kendall, U.S. Coast Guard, a son, Louis Boyd Kendall.

KNERR.—Born at Honolulu, T.H., July 31, 1917, to Capt. and Mrs. H. J. Knerr, Coast Art., U.S.A., a son, Calvin Ellsworth Knerr.

MELLA.—Born at Maudan Hospital, Fort Lincoln, N. Dak., Aug. 19, 1917, to Lieut. and Mrs. Hugo Mella, M.O.R.C., U.S. Army, a daughter.

PATTERSON.—Born at Portland, Me., Aug. 22, 1917, to Lieut. and Mrs. W. G. Patterson, Coast Art., U.S.A., a daughter, Mary Anne Patterson.

PRITCHETT.—Born at East Orange, N.J., Aug. 24, 1917, to a son to Mrs. Lilian Parks Pritchett and Richard H. Pritchett. Mrs. Pritchett is a daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Wythe M. Parks, U.S.N.

PYE.—Born Aug. 25, 1917, to Comdr. and Mrs. W. S. Pye, U.S.N., a son, John Briscoe Pye.

TUTTLE.—Born to Pharmacist Paul V. Tuttle, U.S.A., and Mrs. Tuttle, a son, Robert Merrill Tuttle, at Fort Lyon, Colo., Aug. 18, 1917.

WORKIZER.—Born at Omaha, Neb., July 25, 1917, to Major and Mrs. J. G. Workizer, U.S.A., a son, James Gerardin Workizer.

MARRIED.

BARNES—LAWRENCE.—At Long Beach, Cal., Aug. 13, 1917, Major John W. Barnes, 34th U.S. Inf., and Mrs. Blanche R. Lawrence.

BOUVIER—STONE.—At New York city, Aug. 24, 1917, Capt. W. Sergeant Bouvier, U.S.R., and Miss Emma Louise Stone.

BRIGHAM—DAVIDSON.—At Pawtucket, R.I., Aug. 1917, Lieut. Wesley C. Brigham, 42d U.S. Inf., and Miss Dorothy Dale Davidson.

BROWN—WATERS.—At Washington, D.C., Aug. 10, 1917, Lieut. Dudley S. Brown, U.S.M.C., son of Col. George Le R. Brown, U.S.A., and Miss Josephine Helens Waters.

CARTER—IMBRIE.—At New York city, Aug. 23, 1917, Lieut. Russell Carter, O.R.C., and Miss Jean Imbrie.

CONWAY—MITCHELL.—At Washington, D.C., Aug. 18, 1917, Major Wylie T. Conway, U.S.A., and Miss Mary A. Mitchell, of Sandusky, Ohio.

EGAN—HOOPER.—At Washington, D.C., Aug. 25, 1917, Capt. Gerald Egan, O.R.C., and Miss Marie Louise Hooper.

ELY—PORTER.—At West Point, N.Y., Aug. 30, 1917, Lieut. Hiram Ely, U.S.A., class of Aug. 30, 1917, U.S.M.A., and Miss Zelel de Lussan Porter.

GARNER—FITTS.—At Washington, D.C., Aug. 25, 1917, Lieut. Thomas Johnston Garner, O.R.C., and Miss Holland Fitts.

HATCHER—RICE.—At Winchester, Va., Aug. 18, 1917, Lieut. Richard P. Hatch, 1st Va. Inf., and Miss Helen Aby Rice.

JENKINS—CABANNE.—At Circleville, Ohio, Aug. 24, 1917, Lieut. John Murray Jenkins, Field Art., U.S.A., and Miss Emilie Cabanne.

JOHNSON—SALERN.—At New London, Conn., Aug. 11, 1917, Sergt. Ragwald O. Johnson, Coast Art., U.S.A., son of Band Leader Edward Johnson, 5th Field Art., and Miss Maybelle E. Salern, by Rev. J. R. Danforth.

LEONARD—HARRISON.—At St. Paul's chapel, New York, Aug. 18, 1917, Lieut. Henry Grant Leonard, U.S. Field Art., and Miss Bertha Florence Harrison, of Newark, N.J.

MCCALIB—EMBREE.—At Belton, Texas, July 2, 1917, Lieut. David P. McCalib, U.S. Inf., and Miss Evelyn Embree.

MCKINNEY—SWIFT.—At Fort Leavenworth, Kas., Aug. 22, 1917, Capt. Carl Fish McKinney, U.S. Inf., and aide-de-camp to General Swift, and Miss Katherine Swift.

MOUNT—WEEKS.—At Olympia, Wash., Aug. 25, 1917, Lieut. Frank B. Mount, M.R.C., and Miss Evelyn Parker Weeks.

SMITH—FLEMING.—At New York city, Aug. 27, 1917, Lieut. Wilton Lloyd Smith, O.R.C., and Miss Marjory Fleming.

SMITH—WARD.—At Lake Mohonk, N.Y., Aug. 23, 1917, Lieut. Philip D. Smith, Av. Sec., O.R.C., and Miss Helen Ward.

SWAIN—ADAIR.—At St. John's Church, Elizabeth, N.J., Aug. 21, 1917, Lieut. Philip W. Swain, U.S.R., and Miss Edith Florence Adair.

TORRENCE—SHEPPARD.—At Waco, Texas, Aug. 18, 1917, Lieut. Richard Torrence, U.S.R., and Miss Katherine Sheppard.

WEED—GREENWOOD.—At Montclair, N.J., Aug. 23,



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1917, Lieut. Newell Phipps Weed, O.R.C., and Miss Gretchen Greenwood.

WOOD—WICKHAM.—At Flushing, Long Island, N.Y., Aug. 29, 1917, Lieut. James R. Wood, U.S.A., and Miss Katherine L. Wickham.

WRIGHT—NELSON.—At Rustburg, Va., Aug. 25, 1917, Lieut. Allen W. Wright, Inf., O.R.C., and Miss Louise C. Nelson.

DIED.

DEW.—Died at Fort Sheridan, Ill., Aug. 24, 1917, Capt. Roderick Dew, 40th U.S. Inf.

JOUETT.—Died at Fort Omaha, Neb., Aug. 21, 1917, Lois Wood Brown-Jouett, daughter of Charles A. and Melaine de B. Brown, and wife of Lieut. John H. Jouett, U.S.A.

LYONS.—Died at Sugar Hill, N.H., Aug. 16, 1917, Capt. T. A. Lyons, U.S.N., retired. Funeral from St. Ignatius Loyola Church, Park avenue and Eighty-fourth street, New York city, Saturday, Sept. 1, at ten a.m. Interment private.

MCKOY.—At Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. Thomas Hall McKay, mother of Mrs. Harry Burgess, wife of Col. Harry Burgess, Corps of Engrs., U.S.A., and sister of Capt. Edwin A. Anderson, U.S.N. Interment Aug. 23, 1917, Wilmington, N.C.

MILLER.—Died at Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 23, 1917, Mrs. Nancy Hamilton Miller, mother of the wife of Col. Ernest Hinds, General Staff Corps, U.S.A.

PARKER.—Died Aug. 27, 1917, at 4:30 p.m., at Emergency Hospital, Washington, D.C., James Southard, Jr., son of Major and Mrs. J. S. Parker, U.S.A., and grandson of Capt. and Mrs. H. R. Lemly, U.S.A.

WAHLSTROM.—Died in France, Aug. 21, 1917, 2d Lieut. Frederick Wahlstrom, U.S.M.C.

NATIONAL GUARD NOTES.

ORGANIZATION OF NEW YORK GUARD.

Under orders of Governor Whitman, of New York, the organizations of the Militia of this state and heretofore known and designated as depot battalions and depot units of the National Guard are designated and will hereafter be known as the New York Guard. The designation of organizations of the New York Guard will comprise the specific organizational designation, followed by the words "New York Guard." The organizational designation will include the following in the order stated:

(a) The numerical designation of the unit, which will be the same as that of the organization to take the place of which in the state service the unit was formed.

(b) The arm or branch of the service. (For the purposes of this order the terms "Ambulance Company" and "Field Hospital" will be considered as the designation of the branch of the service.)

Organizations of the New York Guard will consist of a battalion of four companies to take the place of each regiment of the New York National Guard now in the service of the United States, except where express authority is obtained from the Governor for additional companies, and except that where regiments are composed in whole or in part of separate units, a New York Guard organization is authorized in place of each of said separate units. Corresponding organizations to take the place of other units of the New York National Guard are authorized for each armory or permanent station of the New York National Guard.

The following are examples of the designation of commands: 1st Engineers, New York Guard; No. 4, 1st Engineers, New York Guard; 1st Signal Corps, New York Guard, etc.

The first installment of the \$20,000 fund being administered for the benefit of the 69th N.Y. by the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick was distributed in camp at Mincola, N.Y., Aug. 23. The captain of each of the twelve companies of the regiment received \$500. The commanding officer of the headquarters company received \$600; machine gun company, \$400; supply company \$300; medical detachment, \$100. Lieut. Col. Latham K. Reed received \$1,000, to be used in his discretion for the benefit of the whole regiment, and the Rev. Father Francis P. Duffy, chaplain, received \$1,600, to be used in his relief work among the soldiers.

Major David B. Blanton, 33d N.Y., has resigned after twenty-seven years of service, in order to take up his duties as supervisor of a munitions plant for the Government. Major



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Blanton entered in the 23d in 1890 as a private in Company G. He was a most highly esteemed officer, and his loss to the regiment is regretted.

Squadron A, of New York, Major W. R. Wright, which for years has been noted for being one of the best organizations in the National Guard, is to be converted into a machine gun battalion and attached to the 37th Division of National Guard. The squadron will be transformed into its new organization at Spartanburg, S.C. The squadron will be among the first organizations of the division, it is understood, to leave for Spartanburg.

Privates Nelson and James Kelley, of Battery A, 2d Missouri Field Artillery, were killed and four others seriously injured by the explosion of a shrapnel shell on the cantonment range at Fort Sill, Okla., Aug. 25, completely wrecking the mess hall in which they were preparing their first meal after arriving at the Oklahoma post. The shell is believed to have exploded after having been left partially buried on the field by the heat of a fire nearby over which the men were cooking.

Some of the friends of Brig. Gen. McCook Butt, N.Y.N.G., reserve list, have expressed surprise that he has not been selected for active duty. Col. Robert W. Leonard, U.S.V., who served in the Civil War and on the staff of the late Gen. Louis Fitzgerald, N.Y.N.G., and as colonel of the 12th Volunteers in the Spanish War, and as lieutenant colonel of the 28th U.S. Volunteer Infantry in Philippine campaigns, 1899-1900, said: "It is surprising that an officer of General Butt's well known capabilities should not be made use of at a time when officers of ability are so badly needed. General Butt is exceptionally well fitted to command. As colonel of the 12th Infantry, N.Y.N.G., he kept that command at the top notch of efficiency, as the military records at Albany show. Later, as brigade commander, he was likewise noted for his progressive work and for the success of his brigade. If he is permitted to command a brigade during the present war, he will surely make it the best there is, and others will have to sit up and take notice."

Brevet Brig. Gen. William F. Morris, former colonel of the 29th N.Y.N.G., an officer of experience, who served forty years on the active list, thirty-two years as an officer, including service in the Spanish War, said of General Butt: "He was the best brigade commander I have known in forty years, and I have served under him from captain to colonel. Experience in any line counts, and General Butt has the all-round American and foreign experience needed in war time. So long as we have experienced officers, why not use them?" Col. T. Bently Mott, U.S.A., who served as military attaché abroad for years, and who is intimately acquainted with the military work of General Butt, is on record as saying: "By years of general study abroad he has made himself a general officer of the European acceptance of this term, and has a first hand knowledge of what a real division is, and how it should be handled."

Pvt. Calvin K. W. Culpeper, of Battery D, 1st Field Artillery, N.Y.N.G., was killed at Flatlands, N.Y., Aug. 26, while fighting a fire at the Catholic Summer School of America. He was overcome by smoke and fell from the roof of a burning building, suffering a broken back. Four other militiamen were injured at the fire, which destroyed the cottages on the Cliff Haven grounds, the loss being estimated at \$50,000. The injured men were taken to the post hospital suffering from shock and contusions. They were overcome by smoke.

The camps of the 1st, 23d and 71st Infantry, N.Y.N.G., in Van Cortlandt Park, New York city, have attracted many thousands of visitors. The camp of the 3d Infantry, N.Y., in Pelham Bay Park, Bronx, also attracted large numbers of visitors.

Governor Whitman, of New York, announced on Aug. 27 that on Sept. 1, when Col. Charles H. Sherman becomes Adjutant General of the State, succeeding Adjutant General Stotenburg, the present headquarters, division of the New York National Guard being maintained in New York city will be closed, thereby saving \$40,000 a year to the state. Records of that office will be transferred to Albany, and all officers attached to the headquarters division will report to Adjutant General Sherrill for instructions. The Governor also announced that depot units of the National Guard, which have been designated as the "New York Guard," have been divided into two provisional brigades. The 1st Brigade will consist of all units stationed in Greater New York and Rockland, Westchester, Suffolk and Nassau counties. Headquarters will be in the armory of the 71st Infantry, New York city. The 2d Provisional Brigade will consist of all units now included in the 1st Brigade, and its headquarters will be in the armory of the 74th Infantry at Buffalo. Governor Whitman has announced that on Sept. 4 Brig. Gen. George R. Dyer, who has been in charge of the defense and security division of State Defense Council, will assume command of the 1st Provisional Brigade.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Questions must be accompanied by the name and address of the writer. Questions are answered as soon as possible, but no particular time can be given for replies. We do not answer questions by mail.

W. A. T.—You qualified for appointment as second lieutenant, Inf., O.R.C.; James A. Harvey as second lieutenant, Q.M.C., National Army. It is not possible to give the lineal number of any of the camp appointees.

S. E. B.—You will find in the Uniform Regulations of the Army and of the Navy descriptions of the uniforms and insignia of the various grades, arms and corps. There is no single book that will cover both Services. These pamphlets are not illustrated.

OLD SOLDIER asks: (1) How many men passed examination for ordnance sergeant February, 1917? (2) How many have been appointed thus far? (3) How many of 1917 class were appointed previous to May 16, 1917? (4) Is there a grade known as ordnance sergeant, senior grade? Answer: (1) Fifty-two. (2) All but those who dropped out on own accord. (3) Twenty-five. (4) No, but there is to be such a grade established.

CURTIS HENDERSON.—Your parents have not heard from or of you since you were mustered out of 1st Alabama Field Artillery, Feb. 24, 1917. Will you or some acquaintance write to J. J. Henderson, 211 Eleventh street, Birmingham, Ala.

W. A. asks: Are the non-commissioned officers who attended the first non-commissioned officers' training school for commission in the temporary forces other than those of the Officers' Reserve Corps at the Presidio of San Francisco and elsewhere entitled to the \$100 per month? The same as non-commissioned officers who attended the Officers' Reserve Corps Training School as noted above and still awaiting appointment as officers? Answer: No; the \$100 is payable to those attending training camps who agree to accept appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps in any grade to which recommended by the board. See Army Appropriation Act of May 12, in our issue of May 13, 1917.

W. T. asks: I am a minister, twenty-four years of age, in the Regular Army. I would like to know how to be promoted to chaplain. Answer: Apply to The Adjutant General.

RETIRED asks: (1) A retired soldier on duty (active) under provision of Emergency Act, is he entitled to all allowances, such as clothing, etc., and will his beneficiary receive six months' pay and allowance in case of death? (2) Is he entitled to initial allowance of clothing, having been detailed on active duty June 20, 1917? (3) Will new badges (certificate of merit) be issued Distinguished Service Medal? Did the bill become a law; if so will holders of C.M. be required to turn in old badges? Answer: (1) A bill soon to be enacted will provide the death benefits for retired enlisted men on active duty. (2) Regarding clothing allowance, see G.O. 33, War D., 1917. (3) The new bill regarding medals has not become a law.

CONSTANT READER.—If you have been drafted, obey the order. The question of your physical disability will be for the examining surgeon to determine. Present your N.G. disability discharge to the board if you desire.

C. S. B.—If your number did not appear with your name in our published lists of O.R.C., it is not possible at this time to give it, as the latest lists from the A.G.O. are sent out without the lineal numbers.

W. J. R.—Secretary Daniels announced on July 1 the names of twenty-four of the destroyers now in course of construction. All will bear the names of officers of the Navy who won distinction in service. They are: Evans, Philip, Gridley,



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GLENN E. HOWELL.—L. A. Bruning, M.D., 118 E. avenue 57, Los Angeles, Cal., writes: "Mother of Dr. Glenn Edwin Howell (M.D.) wishes me to write you in the hope that you may furnish her son's address. She has recently heard that he is in the Medical Department of the Navy, but has not heard from him for years. She is sick and her heart is heavy with sorrow. It would be an act of kindness and consideration to publish this at an early date."

H. B. R.—The award of badges for Philippine service is governed by G.O. 129, 1908. If you earned the badge as set forth in that order, you are entitled, as a member of the O.R.C., to wear the corresponding ribbon.

G. W. asks: On page 1667, Aug. 11, A. and N. Journal, appears the following: "And provided further, That hereafter any retired officer, who has been or shall be detailed on active duty, shall receive the rank, pay and allowances of the grade, not above that of colonel, he would have attained in due course of promotion if he had remained on the active list for the period beyond date of his retirement equal to total time during which he has been detailed on active duty since retirement." My case is this: I was retired as captain on coming up for promotion in November, 1906. I had had five years' service. I have not served a day since until I volunteered for this war and was ordered back to active duty April 30, this year. I stood just after Major E., who is now a lieutenant colonel. Three months of this position I am in with Reserve majors ranking me, and not using their authority gently rather dampens my enthusiasm. Also I observe men who resigned from my corps being called back as majors. And my case is by no means as unfortunate as that of a captain of the line of, let us say, fifteen years' service who comes back from the retired list to active duty to do his bit. Would the clause quoted above help me or only the officer who has served years on active duty since retirement? Answer: Look at the Army Register for the year in which you retired, and later, and see how long it took the officer who stepped up to your place on the lineal list when you retired, to attain higher rank. If it took him three months, or three years, then it would take three months, or three years, as the case may be, of active duty on your part to give you promotion to major or other grade not above colonel attained by your lineal successor. The paragraph you quote is a proposed amendment of a proviso in Sec. 24 of the National Defense Act. The proposed amendment raises the limit to "colonel." The Defense Act has it "major."

F. L. asks: A chief warrant officer received a temporary commission as ensign in the Navy, to date from July 1, 1917. Another warrant officer received a commission as ensign from July 7, 1917, having qualified by examination. Who is senior? Answer: Commission dated July 1 is senior to that of July 7 in same rank, except that in case of temporary officers precedence dates from call to active duty in grade.

E. E. R.—Qualifications as expert riflemen hold for one year in the cases of both the N.G. in Federal service and the Regular.

H. T. asks: (1) During the hours for challenging a sentinel receives the following answer to his challenge: "Officer of the day and patrol, or officer of the day and officer of the guard?" What is right for the sentinel to say next? (2) Having been a member of Co. H, 16th Infantry, during the Sioux Indian outbreak of November and December, 1890, and January, 1891, and having served with Co. H, 16th Infantry, against the Sioux Indians for a period of about twenty-five or twenty-six days in January, 1891, the company being stationed at Oelrichs, S.D., during this period, and the fact of my having participated in said campaign not being mentioned in the article in regard to pensions for men who had served in Indian campaign, which appeared in the issue of the Army and Navy Journal of March 17, 1917? Would I be entitled to pension if I were a civilian? If so, how much? But being a soldier am I entitled to same? If so, how much? Answer: (1) "Advance one with the countersign," and if the countersign is given correctly, then say, "Advance officer of

the day and patrol," if that was the answer to his challenge. See Par. 191, Manual of Interior Guard duty. (2) Cannot draw pension and service pay at same time. Apply to A.G.O. regarding your record and to Pension Commissioner regarding pensionable status.

J. J. S. asks: When does the company commander turn over the effects of a deceased soldier to summary court officer designated by commanding officer to secure same? The 112th A.W., after making arrangements to have same turned over to legal representative, states that in absence of said representative, the commanding officer shall direct a summary court to secure all such effects; and said summary court shall have authority to convert all such effects into cash, by public or private sale, not earlier than thirty days after the death of deceased. Recently a summary court required the company commander to retain effects until sale and turn over the proceeds of same to him. I have contended that the summary court should take over these effects as soon after the death of a man as practicable, for if the company commander holds them until date of sale I cannot see where the summary court has secured the effects. Answer: The word "secure" in this case does not mean "obtain," but "make safe," and the summary court no doubt considers the C.O. a safe custodian of the effects, and acts accordingly.

S. A. A.—Army bandmasters are promoted from the musicians' ranks. Apply to a recruiting office, or write to The Adjutant General of the Army.

SHERMAN MILLER.—Your mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, Shelbyville, Ind., R.R. 12, has not heard from you since last March, when you were in Co. A, 15th U.S. Inf., at Tientsin, China. A letter from your mother to us says: "One word from him will put joy in my little home."

W. F. W.—Only partial results of the recent examinations for Army Dental Corps have been announced. Final results are expected to be published shortly. About 124 in all will be the total from the recent examinations. Thirty-four names of successful candidates are announced on another page.

O. B.—No lineal list of the Officers' Reserve Corps has been compiled; therefore it is not possible at this time to correct errors copied from the typewritten sheets submitted for publication. No alphabetical list of the Officers' Reserve Corps has been issued. You do not give the dates of the issues from which you took the names of the Engineer officers mentioned, nor do you state the Army department.

A. C.—Colors for a fraternal order may be purchased from any flag or equipment house. See ad of H. V. Allen on last page.

J. G.—There is no law or regulation forbidding the marriage of a provisional second lieutenant after he gets his commission.

A. J. P. asks: Is it the intention of the War Department to commission in the National Army those non-commissioned officers of the Regular Army who were recommended for temporary commissions during the war and who are not already commissioned and assigned as temporary second lieutenants of the Regular Army? Many of the non-commissioned officers recommended for temporary commissions have already been appointed and assigned as second lieutenants with the Army, but to date none of the non-commissioned officers of the 17th Infantry so recommended has been commissioned. Answer: No doubt by late September, or at least when the draft sanctions are in full operation, they will all have been appointed.

H. S. B.—Examinations for appointment of provisional second lieutenants in the Army are governed by Special Regulations No. 1, War Dept. The age limits for enlisted candidates have been fixed by the Army Appropriation Act of May 12 last at twenty-one to thirty-four.

E. C. J. AND O. J. M.—Bulletin 30, War D., 1917, relative to appropriations for fiscal year 1918, and also Bulletin 31, War D., 1917, contain a provision that any enlisted man who was discharged from the Army to accept a commission in the National Guard, or in any volunteer force that may be authorized in the future, at the call of the President, June 18, 1916, be restored to his original status upon re-enlisting in the Regular Army. These orders also cover a provision that any

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enlisted man of the Army who shall be discharged to enable him to accept a commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps, or in any National Guard or Militia organization, and who shall enlist in the Army, etc., shall be entitled to credit for the period of time actually served by him prior to said discharge, and in computing service for retirement and continuous pay, service as an officer of the National Guard, while in the service of the U.S., service in any volunteer force and service in the Officers' Reserve Corps in active service shall be counted. If Senate bill No. 1786 becomes a law an enlisted man discharged to accept a commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps will be returned to his original status. There is at present no authority which would restore an enlisted man accepting a commission in the Officers' Reserve Corps to his original status as a non-com. in the Regular Army.

SUBSCRIBER asks: Have a boy fourteen years old, and, having been ordered to active duty, am writing you for information as to boys' schools. Would like to place him in some reliable, inexpensive school, where strict discipline prevails. Answer: Apply to Culver Military School, Culver, Ind.

BENNETT asks: I am looking for information regarding the Ambulance Corps. I know quite a little about automobiles, and especially Fords. Is it possible to transfer to this branch of the Service and obtain a position as a driver? If a person transferred what organization would you suggest? Answer: Apply to The A.G. for transfer to the Medical Department as driver of motor ambulance.

E. W.—An O.R.C. commission dates from date of acceptance. His pay begins from call to active service; precedence likewise.

W. A. W.—That portion of the Act to increase temporarily the Signal Corps, relating to appointment of the necessary additional officers is Sec. 2, which includes authorization of temporary appointments from enlisted men of the Regular Army, enlisted men of the Enlisted Reserve Corps and persons from civil life.

J. P. R.—In regard to men attending the training camps, the law says "the pay of not to exceed \$100 per month in addition to the allowances authorized by Sec. 54" (N.D.A.) is payable "during the period of their training."

A. H. J.—G.O. 98 prescribes the uniform for field clerks, and those field clerks sent to foreign station were fitted out in accordance with that order. The order was published on page 1705, our issue of Aug. 18.

J. C. asks: Enlisted June 13, 1904; discharged June 13, 1907; enlisted Dec. 31, 1907; discharged Dec. 30, 1910; enlisted Jan. 5, 1911; discharged Jan. 28, 1913 (purchase); enlisted Feb. 14, 1914, furloughed to Reserve Feb. 13, 1917, reported for active service May 16, 1917. What enlistment period should soldier be carried on in accordance with above service? Answer: He was in an uncompleted second enlist-

ment when furloughed. Is due for third period pay May 15, 1918.

R. M. S.—Leather leggings are to be worn by officers only.

C. G. asks: Was born in April, 1891; arrived this country February, 1905; filed first papers November, 1910, upon entering Service. With the exception of four months from June 2, 1915, until Oct. 16, 1915, have continuous service. Not staying in contact with relations who perhaps are citizens of the United States, is there a law providing claim to the rights of being a citizen without filing application? Answer: If you possess an honorable discharge you are entitled to citizenship after two years' residence, without first papers. At the present time the place of your birth might have considerable bearing. Apply to your C.O. for present regulations, or call at the Naturalization Bureau in New York.

E. G. asks: I was discharged June 23, 1917, expiration of a four-year term, and re-enlisted on June 23 for period of war. Am I entitled to a bonus? Answer: There appears to be something wrong with your statement. Since the Act of May 18 became a law men of the Army have been held to service without furlough or discharge at end of their four years of seven-year enlistment.

S. R. asks: For a position in the U.S. Secret Service does a man have to pass a Civil Service examination, and does a man with military service get any preference? Answer: Apply to the Treasury Department; or, for commission in the Intelligence Section, A.G. Dept., apply to The A.G.

FIRST LIEUTENANT.—The highest lineal number given in the Dental Corps lists, O.R.C., was No. 439, in the Eastern Dept. Since Aug. 10 the lineal numbers are not given in the list sent out by the A.G.O. It is therefore not possible for us to answer your further question in that particular. There is no consolidated list available, either lineal or alphabetical.

GETTYSBURG NOTES.

Gettysburg, Pa., Aug. 17, 1917.

The academy, which has been a haven of refuge for Army officers and their families in Gettysburg, will close Sept. 10. Dr. and Mrs. Johnson and four children, Col. and Mrs. Hersey, U.S.A., several Medical Reserve doctors and families, and most of the babies belonging to the Army contingent are still there; also Col. and Mrs. F. B. Jones, U.S.A., and Miss Jones.

The 4th Infantry had a dinner and dance last night. The 4th is filled and equipped, ready for France. Coming from Brownsville it was not deprived of its equipment. The 7th Infantry had to unload its equipment off the cars at El Paso and turn it over to the 10th.

There are many gay parties motoring to York for the Country Club dances. Capt. and Mrs. Dolph, Mrs. Weeks and Captain Conway motored to Washington Saturday, returning Sunday

night. Capt. and Mrs. Dolph, Mrs. Weeks, Dr. Cranford, Miss Jones, Lieut. and Mrs. White, with Lieutenant Wightman, Captain Sneed and Miss Lenihan and Lieutenant Lorch were a gay party motoring to the hop at Buena Vista last week. Miss Lenihan has left for Washington and will be greatly missed. The Red Cross Army women's unit has met for several weeks at Mrs. F. B. Jones' and accomplished much work as well as having pleasant meetings. A few officers are coming to fill the depleted regiments. At one time, to the despair of commanding officers, there were only two officers to each regiment.

FORT MYER.

Fort Myer, Va., Aug. 20, 1917.

Thursday the new student officers will begin to arrive to take up their three months' instruction at the second officers' training camp. Col. Charles W. Fenton will also be in charge of the second training camp here. Major and Mrs. Clarence N. Jones and their small daughter, Felicia, left on Saturday for Fort Sill, where Major Jones has been sent for station with the 14th Field Artillery. Mrs. David H. Scott had as her weekend guest her brother-in-law, Mr. Joseph Lamy, of Evanston, Ill.

Mrs. Edward B. Schriener and children will leave shortly for New York city, where they will join Colonel Schriener, who is in charge of the New York receiving hospital. Officers and men of the 2d Cavalry are now at Edsall, Va., target range, receiving their yearly practice. Major and Mrs. Gerald E. Griffin have as house guest Mrs. Griffin's sister, Mrs. Day, of St. Louis.

Major George P. Hamilton, 2d Cav., who received his colonelcy last week, will leave for Petersburg, Va., to instruct at the camp of the National Army. Mrs. Hamilton will leave in a few weeks to join her husband. Mrs. Kingman, wife of Col. John J. Kingman, and small daughter, Dinah, have returned from Atlantic City, where they have been visiting. Practically all the officers appointed from the training camp here have been assigned to the camp at Petersburg, Va., where the Draft Army will be trained. A number of the officers have been sent to the aviation schools at Ontario, Canada, and Princeton.

Col. John Conklin, retired, was on the post last week visiting his son, Lieut. John F. Conklin, C.E., one of the instructors here at the training camp. Major Robert S. Welsh, 3d Field Art., who received his colonelcy last week, will leave shortly for Petersburg. Chaplain Arthur L. Smith, who resigned from the 3d D.G. Infantry to devote his time to the Y.M.C.A. work of the cantonments, has now under his supervision the Y.M.C.A. work at the 3d Field Artillery camp, the 13th Field Artillery camp at St. Asaph's, American University camp, the training camp here, also Camp Meade, Fort Washington, Fort Howard, Washington Barracks, Indian Head, and the Y.M.C.A. work here.

Major Edmond R. Tompkins, who has been one of the instructors at the training camp here, has been sent to Wrightstown, N.J., on quartermaster work. The War Department has assigned Capt. Edmund A. Buchanan, 2d Cav., as executive officer of the post exchange committee. Exchanges are to be established, one for each regiment, at all the cantonments and camps. The War Department has also provided a divisional exchange officer at each of the sixteen National Army cantonments. These officers will be attached to the staff of the camp commander and will be specifically charged with the initial establishment and organization of the several regimental exchanges belonging to the cantonments.

FORT OGLETHORPE.

Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., Aug. 25, 1917.

The principal event of interest this week was the Medical Officers' review, held on McDonald Field on Wednesday. The review was witnessed by thousands of spectators from the city and post. Col. Abner Pickering was reviewing officer. Music was furnished by the 11th Cavalry band, and the review was led by Col. Henry Page and staff. Over 4,000 men took part in the event, and all the Field Hospitals, motor and mule drawn ambulances were displayed. The first review of the 53d Infantry was given on Thursday. Colonel Tayman is in command of this regiment. Ambulance Co. No. 52, of South Carolina, arrived at Fort Oglethorpe on Friday, 125 strong. The company is in command of Capt. James E. Daniel.

Capt. A. W. Lugg, with his family, has taken apartments in Highland Park. The regular weekly entertainment was given on Saturday night by the Y.W.C.A. for the soldiers. Mrs. Richard Darby is on Missionary Ridge. Mrs. Darby is the wife of Major Darby, commander of the 2d Battalion at the Medical Training Camp. She is the daughter of ex-President Roosevelt and Mrs. Roosevelt. Lieut. William Green entertained with a dinner at the Country Club on Saturday.

A new telephone office is being installed for Fort Oglethorpe, and will be in operation in a very short time. A Y.M.C.A. auditorium is being built, and when completed will seat about 3,000. The building is at the intersection of the Read's Bridge and La Fayette roads. The swimming pool has been completed at the Officers' training camp and is proving very popular. Six companies of the 17th Infantry arrived last night at this post. These men have been stationed at Fort McPherson, near Atlanta.

Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Hathaway, of this post, have gone to Fort Sill, Okla., to join Lieutenants Russell and Hathaway. Lieut. and Mrs. Alex. Querry are at Suwanee, where they attended the wedding of Miss Ann Querry to Lieutenant Perry. Major Turck, Adjutant at the Medical Officers' training camp, has been ordered to Macon, Ga., and will have the rank of lieutenant colonel in the National Army. He is to be sanitary inspector for the 31st Division of the National Army.

The streets in the camp of the medical officers have been named for famous military surgeons, Hoff Billings, Letterman, Reed, Laxear and Tripler. The health reports of Fort Oglethorpe are unsurpassed at any station. The rate is about twenty-five cases of sickness per thousand men, and these are all minor illnesses, mumps, measles and vaccination. No typhoid cases are reported. Col. W. M. Littlebrandt arrived Saturday and was placed in command of the 23d Cavalry.

Mrs. Turck entertained at the Hitching Post with a luncheon on Monday, honoring Miss Helen Marshall, of Philadelphia. Mrs. A. T. Dalton won the bridge prize.

The number of men for the August training camp will reach 5,445. Colonel Slocum is to remain in command. The cadets will begin arriving this week. Thirty-three companies will be provided and all over this number will be quartered in tents for the present. Colonel Le Garde, M.C., U.S.A., arrived at this post on Tuesday. He will deliver a series of three lectures at the training camp for the student officers. Major Turck has been succeeded by Capt. Walter Weiser, Springfield, Mass., as adjutant at the Medical Officers' training camp. Major J. G. Coxetter, N.G., Florida, has been assigned as assistant adjutant at Fort Oglethorpe.

Six hundred men arrived on Wednesday from Pennsylvania to enter the training camp here. This is the vanguard of the second camp. Following these the men will report from Florida, Alabama, Georgia, South and North Carolina and Tennessee. Capt. Dennis E. McCunniff, one of the most popular of the instructors of the May training camp, will not come back for the August camp. He has been appointed aid to General Kernan, commander of the 31st Division of the National Army, at Macon, Ga. Col. Walton, constructing Qm., has awarded contracts for eighteen stables and nine blacksmith shops, to be built at once for the infantry regiments.

Capt. Rogers, adjutant of the 51st Infantry, has been appointed commander of the replacement battalion recently organized at Fort Oglethorpe. Mrs. A. W. Lugg and baby have arrived from California to join Captain Lugg, who is on duty in Captain Dalton's office.

Mrs. Frank Fehr and Miss Clarissa Fehr, of Louisville, who have been for several weeks on Signal Mountain, left last night for their home. Mrs. Fehr and Lieut. Desha Harris will be married on Sept. 22. Lieutenant Harris is stationed at this post. Dr. Hoyt, of Peru, Ind., is at Fort Oglethorpe in the interest of the Y.M.C.A. He occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist church on Sunday. Major General Morrison and aid left for Greenville, S.C., on Monday. Mrs. Mahan, with her two daughters, arrived last Sunday to be with her parents, Col. and Mrs. Abner Pickering. Major Tillman, who has just received his promotion as lieutenant colonel, left Saturday.

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accompanied by Mrs. Tillman, for Camp Gordon. Mrs. Foreman and daughter have taken quarters in the bachelor building. Lieut. and Mrs. Merrill, 11th Inf., have left for Fort Sill. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, of Philadelphia, are guests of their daughter, Mrs. Gore. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn entertained Capt. and Mrs. Dalton at dinner on Signal Mountain at the Inn on Tuesday. Miss Young, who has been visiting her brother, Major Young, returned to Pittsburgh on Thursday.

FORT LEAVENWORTH.

Fort Leavenworth, Kas., Aug. 19, 1917.

Mrs. H. B. Crosby was hostess at a tea Saturday for Miss Katherine Swift, who will be married Aug. 22 to Capt. Carl Fish McKinney. Asked to meet the honoree were seventy-five friends and they were graciously welcomed by the hostess, the special guest and her mother, Mrs. Eben Swift. The rooms were tastefully decorated with roses and the tea table, which was presided over by Mrs. James McAndrew and Mrs. Esra Fuller, was decorated with kewpies and white asters. Mrs. Crosby was assisted by Mesdames J. M. Morgan, J. J. Fulmer, J. D. Taylor, M. L. Walker and Miss Lottie Fuller.

Major R. P. Howell, who has been on duty with the Corps of Engineers, left Thursday for Des Moines for station. Major Harry L. T. Cavanaugh, formerly of Fort Leavenworth, has been detailed as colonel of a regiment of infantry at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash. Mrs. Cavanaugh will join him in several weeks. Their sons will spend the winter with relatives in Ohio, except that Harry, Jr., will return to Wentworth Military Academy. Mrs. H. B. Crosby and family leave Tuesday for Chicago to visit relatives. Mrs. Crosby will return later to Fort Leavenworth and will remain the coming winter during the absence of Colonel Crosby at Des Moines.

Lieut. and Mrs. John G. Goodlett entertained ten guests at dinner Saturday at the County Club in Kansas City. Mrs. Joseph Byron entertained at a luncheon Friday, honoring Miss Katherine Swift. The guests included Mrs. Goodlett, Mrs. Brush, Miss Gaylord, of Junction City, Misses Lottie and Mary Fuller, Alfred Scales and Emilie Cabanne.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Goddard, of Leavenworth, entertained at dinner Tuesday in compliment to Mrs. F. N. Atkin, of Holly Springs, Miss., guest of Capt. and Mrs. H. O. Olson. The lawn fête given last week by the Army Relief Society netted \$350. Mr. Edward Craig, who has been given a commission as a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps, will leave next week for Quantico, Va. Mr. Craig is the son of Major and Mrs. C. F. Craig, of this post.

Lieut. Hodge Jones was week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Jones in Kansas City. Mrs. George Strong was hostess at a buffet luncheon Wednesday for Miss Katherine Swift, the young bride-elect. The luncheon was followed by a handkerchief shower. Major J. B. Gowen, with Mrs. Gowen and Miss Gowen, have returned from Arkansas, where Major Gowen has been on duty. Major Gowen has left for Washington. Major General Eben Swift arrived Sunday from Texas to join Mrs. and Miss Swift and attend the marriage of his daughter, Lieut. Jaime Nadal, who has been on duty here for the past year, received orders to Ponce, Porto Rico, and left Wednesday with his sisters, the Misses Nadal, for that station.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reyburn, of Leavenworth, entertained at dinner Tuesday complimentary to Miss Lillian Reyburn and

Lieut. George Peabody, who were married on Aug. 15. Mrs. W. D. Davis and children and her sister, Miss Bessie Green, left Sunday for American Lake, Wash. Mrs. J. R. Lindsay and sons arrived last week from San Francisco to visit Mrs. Lindsay's mother, Mrs. Armida Miller, in Leavenworth. Mrs. Lindsay's son, Robert and Gregg, after a short stay will leave for Washington to enter preparatory school, Robert to prepare for West Point and Gregg for Annapolis. Colonel Lindsay, who recently returned from the Philippines, has been attached to the 62d Infantry. Captain Banister, who has been at Fort Riley, is spending a ten days' leave here, en route to Fort Sheridan.

Mr. Cyrus Wilder, of Fort Riley, is the guest of her parents, Col. and Mrs. E. B. Fuller. Miss Katherine Swift, who is a much feted bride-elect, was honor guest at a luncheon given Monday by Miss Lottie Fuller. The guests included Mesdames Walker, Crosby, Byron, Goodlett, Whipple, Strong, Smith, Cowan, Brush, Wilder, Misses Cabanne, Scales, Helen and Frances Burnham, Fuller and Trotter. Gen. and Mrs. A. B. Poore and Miss Adelaide Poore on their return from the Philippines next month will be the guests of their eldest daughter, Mrs. J. O. Mauborgne, and Captain Mauborgne, at this post. Mrs. A. L. Conger has left the post for an indefinite stay with relatives in Nebraska.

THIRTY-FIFTH INFANTRY CAMP.

Nogales, Ariz., Aug. 18, 1917.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Van Schaick entertained Mrs. Prier and several young ladies from town at a swimming party at the pool, afterwards bringing her guests to the mess for dinner. The tennis courts are in splendid condition and Colonel Skinner, from the base hospital; Captains Waugh, Robertson and Fishback are to be seen playing frequently.

Lieutenant Good, with a detachment, left Monday for station at the Roosevelt Dam. On Wednesday morning Capt. John C. Walker and his company left for Lowell, Ariz., to be on duty there indefinitely. Lieutenant Colonel Thelkeld has been made a colonel in the National Army and he will leave here in a day or two for his new station, Annapolis Junction, Md. Mrs. Thelkeld and Master Tom will accompany him.

Mrs. Cummins and her three small children leave to-day for San Antonio to join Captain Cummins. From there they go to Fort Benjamin Harrison. General Davis has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Cummins, for two days. Mrs. E. A. Watson, who has been in California, joined Captain Robertson here last Wednesday. They are occupying the house vacated by Capt. and Mrs. Steele. Last evening Capt. and Mrs. Waugh entertained General Davis and Mrs. Cummins at dinner.

All companies of the regiment have completed their proficiency tests on the B range and the results show a high standard of proficiency throughout the regiment. Three evenings a week there is held battalion review or parade, or escort to the colors, and on Friday evening regimental review and parade. The troops are making a splendid showing at these ceremonies. The stirring music of the life and drum corps and the songs of the men as they march indicate the esprit de corps is very high.

FORT RILEY.

Fort Riley, Kas., Aug. 18, 1917.

Miss Grace O'Hara, of New York, is house guest of Capt. and Mrs. P. J. Kieffer. Friday evening, July 20, the 9th Company of the U.S.T.C. entertained many out of town guests, and the instructors and their wives from the garrison, with a beautifully appointed cotillion dinner dance.

Col. and Mrs. C. F. Craig were week-end guests of their daughter, Mrs. R. Hospital, and Lieutenant Hospital, for the christening of their granddaughter, Andre Hospital. Miss Marjorie Jones, of Columbia, Mo., is house guest of Capt. and Mrs. Joseph C. King. Lieut. and Mrs. T. J. J. Christian entertained with a dance in their quarters, honoring their guest, Miss Virginia Hardin, of Denver. There were a number of guests in the garrison for the week-end of July 21, when the 1st Troop, 2d Battery, and 3d Company, U.S.T.C., gave a "triangle hop" in the gymnasium. Music was by the Cavalry Brigade band and the 18th Cavalry orchestra.

Mrs. Keith, of Kansas City, was guest of Capt. and Mrs. B. T. Merchant. Miss Eva Smith, of Topeka, visited Capt. and Mrs. Roberson. Capt. and Mrs. B. T. Merchant entertained with a dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Keith, and Mr. Thomas Velle, of Kansas City. Mrs. Compton, of St. Louis, is the guest of her son, Lieut. C. B. Compton, 13th Cav. Capt. E. A. Taubee, 19th Cav., was a guest in the garrison prior to his departure for West Point. Captain Taubee, Mrs. W. W. West and Miss Rumbough were dinner guests of Mrs. H. R. Richmond. Mrs. J. D. Tilford has gone to St. Louis to remain until Captain Tilford's return. Capt. and Mrs. P. J. Kieffer entertained eight guests at a jolly supper in honor of their guest, Miss O'Hara.

The Russian mission arrived July 26 and the U.S.T.C. gave a splendid review on the Cavalry Parade in their honor, after which an address was given by General Von Roop to the student officers en masse. The Officers Club was the setting of a delightful informal reception in their honor in the evening. Capt. and Mrs. E. B. Terrell were "at home" to the young ladies of the garrison and the student officers of Company 2 (Captain Terrall being in charge and instructor of the company) Thursday evening, July 26. Miss Dorothy Crane, of Chicago, house guest of her sister, Mrs. Gaston, and Capt. Jesse Gaston, has formed a kindergarten class which meets every morning at Captain Gaston's quarters. Mrs. J. J. Ryan and Miss Marjorie Jones, Miss Blarissa Ryan, Messrs. Blackmore, Pierce, Neesomeyer, U.S.T.C. and Lieut. Lucian Berry and Lindsay Beach made up a jolly supper party Sunday as guests of Capt. and Mrs. Joseph C. King.

Mrs. W. T. Bates and daughter have gone to Denver, accompanied by Miss Daley, who has been the guest of Major and Mrs. Bates. Mrs. C. C. Pullis, Mrs. J. T. Kennedy, Mrs. T. J. Dickinson and their families have opened quarters in the Artillery post, where they will remain for the duration of their husbands' duty with the 6th Field Artillery in France. Major H. B. Richmond has been assigned to the 19th Cavalry. Mrs. J. G. Tyndall and small son have returned to Mrs. Tyndall's home in San Antonio, after a few days' visit with Mrs. T. J. Dickinson, and will remain there during Captain Tyndall's services in France.

Every Monday night is reserved as ladies' night at the Officers' Club, and music is furnished by the cavalry brigade band. Lieut. and Mrs. C. J. Wilder have taken quarters in the Cavalry post. Mrs. Wilder is being welcomed by a host of friends who know her as Miss Georgia Fuller, and now a bride of the 20th Cavalry. Lieut. and Mrs. Ralph Hospital gave a jolly moonlight riding party July 28. A ride over the hills was enjoyed by all, returning to a watermelon cutting at the Hospitals' quarters. Capt. and Mrs. Gaston were hosts at a jolly straw ride for about twenty guests Aug. 4. A full moon helped to make the ride a success, and refreshments were served up on the hills.

Pontoon bridges have been built across the Republican river, opening up the old road to Junction City, which has been closed to traffic for three years, and also enabling the garrison to use the Smoky Hill flats. The Cavalry Brigade have made the plain into their drill ground, and the attractive club house, deserted for many years, will once again be the scene of attractive parties.

Miss Neal Kendrick entertained with a house dance Wednesday evening, Aug. 1. Capt. and Mrs. J. T. Donnelly have returned from Kansas City, where Captain Donnelly has been on duty for several weeks. Miss Marjorie Jones, house guest of Mrs. J. C. King and Miss Clarissa Ryan, has returned to her home in Columbia, Mo. Mrs. Addington, of St. Louis, was week-end guest of Capt. and Mrs. J. H. Lewis. Mr. Arthur Ware and Mr. Hill, U.S.T.C., were dinner guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. W. West. Mrs. Rumbough has arrived from Wash-



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ington to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. West, and Captain West.

The Governor of Kansas and the Lieutenant Governor of Missouri were guests of the garrison Aug. 9, when they visited the U.S.T.C. here. The U.S.T.C. gave an excellent parade in their honor on the Artillery parade ground, which was reviewed by Major Callah, U.S.H. Col. and Mrs. S. B. Jones entertained Col. and Mrs. Tyree R. Rivers and Capt. and Mrs. Lewis with a dinner. Miss Elizabeth Van Brient, of St. Louis, is the guest of Lieut. and Mrs. C. J. Wilder. Capt. and Mrs. B. T. Merchant were hosts at dinner for Capt. and Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. Frazier and Mr. Keith, U.S.T.C. Col. and Mrs. C. A. Hedekin are among recent arrivals. Colonel Hedekin, assigned to the Artillery, arrived at the 13th Cavalry. Captains Rainald, Mather and Cameron, U.S.H., were week-end guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. W. West. Wednesday evening, Aug. 15, Mrs. Tyree R. Rivers entertained with a tea in honor of the wives of the instructors of the U.S.T.C. Mrs. B. T. Merchant and Mrs. J. T. Kennedy entertained, assisted by Mrs. Flint.

FORT SAM HOUSTON.

Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Aug. 17, 1917.

Col. and Mrs. Robert A. Brown left Wednesday for Washington. Colonel Brown will later leave for foreign service. Major Harry B. Jordan, of the U.S. Arsenal, ordered for foreign service, leaves this week for Washington. Mrs. Jordan will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. John H. Read, in the Cavalry Post. Major Clifford Gaines arrived in San Antonio Thursday from El Paso and is stopping at the Meager Hotel. Col. and Mrs. Peter E. Marquart have as guests Capt. and Mrs. A. J. Booth and children. Captain Booth has been assigned to duty at Camp Funston. Mrs. Carl Spats left Tuesday for New York City.

The students from the Officers' Reserve training camp at Camp Funston complimented Col. and Mrs. William S. Scott and their instructors with a dinner dance at the Country Club Monday evening. Over 300 guests were present. Lieut. and Mrs. John H. Wallace have as guests Mrs. John Wallace and Miss Wallace in the bachelor quarters of Artillery post. Announcement is made of the marriage of Lieutenant Chambold St. Germain and Miss Jennie Mae Ackerman, the marriage having taken place Aug. 7. Lieutenant St. Germain is the French instructor at Camp Funston and will probably leave soon for France.

Mrs. Herbert H. Clarkson and son and Mrs. W. Kelso returned from Long Beach, Cal. Capt. and Mrs. John H. Reed entertained Monday with a despedida concert at the U.S. Arsenal, complimenting Major and Mrs. H. B. Jordan. Mrs. Consuelo Seane served punch. The third Cavalry band gave the program, and for the first time since the arsenal was established in 1858 a concert was given and retreat sounded by music. Major H. H. Arnold, of the Aviation Section; Captain Edgar of the Construction Department, and Lieutenant Colonel Crabtree, of the Medical Corps, arrived at Fort Sam Houston Friday from Washington for the purpose of inspecting the work at the new Camp Kelly cantonment.

Members of the 7th Company of the 15th Provisional Training Regiment, at Camp Funston, complimented their company commanders, Capt. J. M. Cummings and Capt. J. D. Rivet with a farewell banquet at the Meager Hotel Thursday. The commissioned officers of Camp Funston entertained at dinner at

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The name of the aviation camp which has been known as Camp Kelly has been changed to Kelly Field, as all aviation sections throughout the United States are designated as fields instead of camps. It was named in honor of Lieutenant Kelly, who sacrificed his life to prevent injuries to spectators at a flight in which his machine was disabled. One thousand additional enlisted men for the Aviation Section are expected to arrive tomorrow; six hundred came Sunday. These men are not actual flyers, but enlisted men of the Signal Corps. Applications for the actual flying service continue to come in daily at the post, the number being estimated from fifteen to twenty a day.

Work of property being cleared between Fort Sam Houston and Camp Travis on the site purchased by the Government for the extension of the permanent post has been started. On this site will be built motor truck and pontoon storehouses and motor shops, all a part of the permanent post plan. Preparations are being made to move three trains from the motor truck group to the militia encampments at Waco and Houston. The train will be under command of lieutenants of the less experienced in which will take their first lesson in actual train movement. Men of experience will also accompany the outfit.

Twenty-six students from the University of Illinois, the first of 100 college men who will be sent here from different parts of the country, have arrived at the San Antonio Arsenal for training as stockkeepers in the Ordnance Department. About the same number of men similarly trained will arrive from Denver and other places in the West. Capt. T. J. Hayes, from West Point, has been ordered to San Antonio to supervise the instruction of these men. Sergeant Charles Hartman, of the Rock Island Arsenal, will assist Captain Hayes. Company C, 3d Texas, National Guard, under Capt. J. L. King, is on guard duty at the arsenal.

Authorization for the construction of a Y.M.C.A. building at the base hospital and another at the hospital to be constructed at Camp Travis has been asked of the executive committee of the National War Work Council. Each building will cost \$4,500. Work has been begun on a building in the new cantonment at Kelly Field. At present sixty association buildings are in course of construction in the Southern Department. Between 500 and 600 men for the Signal Corps arrived in San Antonio Tuesday. They are being cared for temporarily, awaiting their definite assignment to quarters.

Ten additional wards, each with a capacity of about thirty patients, are being constructed at Fort Sam Houston in preparation for the increased number of men to be stationed in San Antonio. Twenty such wards and an outdoor kitchen already have been constructed and are in operation. Another feature of the new wards is the facilities for treatment of pneumonia, the modern out-door system being possible by means of screened construction. The kitchen and dining room at the hospital also have been enlarged and are capable of caring for 1,500 patients. With the arrival Wednesday at Kelly Field of eleven graduates of the Aviation Ground School at the University of Texas, actual training of aviators for the National Army began. It is estimated that it will require approximately six weeks in which to turn these men out as junior military aviators prepared to go to France, after which they will have to undergo further instruction of probably a month preparatory to actual service at the front.

Hair line handicapping was shown in the result of the game Thursday afternoon on the Fort Sam Houston polo field. It was the opening engagement of the tournament for the Army Bank Cups, and the Third Cavalry Freebooters won from the Remount team 9-4 to 8-4. The Remount team started out by giving the Cavalry officers ten goals. The Remounts, headed by Lieut. Paul Raborg, who played a brilliant game, once more scored nine goals. The Cavalry was held scoreless despite the excellent work of L. Johnson and others.

FORT GRANT ARMY RELIEF BENEFIT.

Fort Grant, C.Z., Aug. 12, 1917.

The Fort Grant branch of the Army Relief Society had a dance at the post on Saturday evening, to which everyone on the post came and helped to make the affair a great success. After all expenses were paid over \$300 was realized for the cause. There was a large attendance of civilians, as well as Army people.

The ladies in charge of the various booths were: Ice cream and cake, Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Ickes; flowers, Mrs. Dusenberry, Mrs. Harris; lemonade, Mrs. Strauss, Mrs. Coy; candy, Mrs. Hughes, Mrs. Barnes. The wheel of fortune, one of the most popular attractions, was managed and arranged for by the Fort Grant Enlisted Men's Dancing Club, with Sergeants Zimmerman, Moody and Harris in charge; Private Moyer suggested a cake walk, and a very fine cake, the contribution of Mrs. Blitch, was the prize. There were dancing contests, with cakes for prizes; Capt. and Mrs. Patterson gave a cake containing a ring, to be awarded to the most popular young lady. Little Miss Mary Thomas, daughter of Capt. J. S. Thomas, won the cake. Mrs. Landers, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Thomas, assisted by Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Templeton and Mrs. File, gave their services at all the interests of the affair. Those in charge of the booths had a corps of assistants organized from the ladies of the garrison. The fortune teller, Abdul Hamid, had a "waiting list" all evening.

The next morning a baseball game was played between civilian and Army teams for the benefit of the Army Relief Society. To Capt. J. A. Thomas the credit is due for getting up this game; about \$125 was cleared. The score was 3-1, in favor of the Army until the ninth inning, when the civilians made two runs and tied the score. Eleven innings were played, and the Army won, 4-3.

Mrs. Landers is president and Mrs. Thurston Hughes secretary treasurer of the branch here of the Army Relief.

ARMY CONFIRMATIONS.

Nominations confirmed by the Senate Aug. 23, 1917.

The Senate on Aug. 23 confirmed all the Army nominations of Aug. 17, printed on pages 1765 and 1766, our issue of Aug. 25.

ARMY NOMINATIONS.

Nominations received by the Senate Aug. 23, 1917.

APPOINTMENT IN THE NATIONAL ARMY.

GENERAL OFFICER.

To be brigadier general with rank from Aug. 5, 1917.
Brig. Gen. Lloyd England, The Adjutant Gen. of Arkansas.

PROMOTIONS IN THE ARMY.

FIELD ARTILLERY ARM.

Lieut. Col. Richard H. McMaster: colonel from June 22, 1917, vice Sturgis, appointed brigadier general.

Captains to be majors from dates indicated, vice officers promoted.

May 15, 1917—N. B. Rehkopf, v. Austin; M. W. Howze, v. Pullis; H. S. Kilbourne, jr., v. Bunel; L. J. McNair, v. Herron; G. R. Allen, v. Foy; John R. Kelly, examination, v. Lambdin.

June 4, 1917—P. D. Glassford, v. McNair, detailed G.S.O. First Lieutenants to be captains from dates indicated, vice officers promoted or detached.

May 15, 1917—W. Spence, v. Kilbourne; John W. Rafferty, v. McNair; R. B. McBride, jr., v. Kelly; Paul V. Kane, v. Ryan; William H. Cureton, v. Glassford.

May 19, 1917—F. B. Prickett, v. Cabbison; R. P. Shugg, v. McKinley; C. Krayenbuhl, v. Lewis; C. E. Bradburn, v. Shepherd.

CAVALRY ARM.

Capt. Grayson V. Heidt, Cav., unassigned, additional in grade, to be major, subject to examination, rank May 5, 1917, date on which he would have been promoted to fill vacancy.



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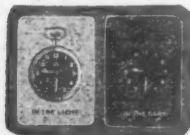
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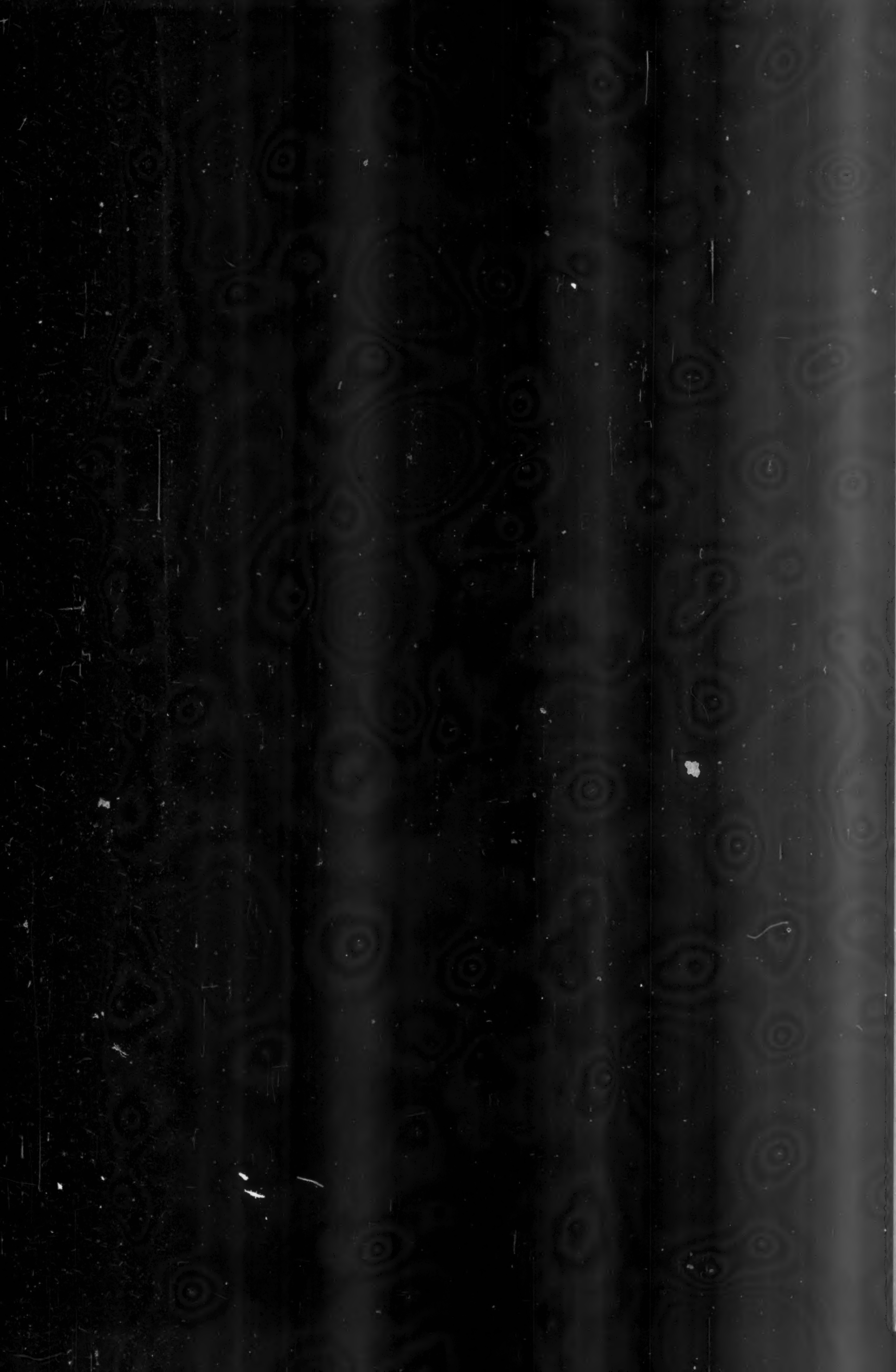
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June 16—E. P. Gosnell, 15th; R. D. Adolph, 10th; D. A. Stroth, 17th.

FIELD ARTILLERY PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions and assignments in the Field Artillery arm of the Army, are announced in S.O. 190, Aug. 16, W.D. The dates preceding the names are the dates of rank. Each officer is assigned to his present organization as given after his name, except that A. V. Brigham and L. V. Houston of 6th F.A., are assigned to the 10th and 18th F.A., respectively:

Second Lieutenants to be first lieutenants.

Nov. 30, 1916—O. L. Haines, 6th F.A.
Jan. 19, 1917—O. L. Gates, 7th.
Jan. 26—G. E. Brower, 8th.
Feb. 3—W. J. Jones, 5th; Y. D. Vesely, 10th.
Feb. 20—W. B. Dunwoody, 15th; C. B. Thomas, 8th; O. J. Bond, jr., 3d.
Feb. 21—R. H. Ennis, 15th.
Feb. 25—B. Carter, 13th; H. B. Parker, 7th; F. F. Fielding-Reid, 12th; H. E. Ristine, 4th; E. B. Edwards, 18th; O. L. Gruin, 6th; T. W. Wrenn, 7th.
Feb. 26—H. W. Rehm, 8th.
Feb. 27—J. B. Pitney, 3d.
March 21—C. H. Tate, 15th.
April 6—O. O'Donnell, 5th.
May 15—O. P. Echols, 7th; C. Ripley, 14th; E. M. Smith, 7th; J. O. Hoskins, 1st; W. Clarke, 2d; A. R. Ives, 2d; A. Brigham, jr., 6th; W. M. Jackson, 6th; J. A. Sheridan, 2d; H. C. Minton, 4th; C. W. Gailaher, 13th; L. V. Houston, 6th; S. Knopf, 12th; J. M. Garrett, 16th; D. M. Pope, 15th; E. H. Willenbacher, 18th; L. C. Arthur, jr., 7th; J. F. Hubbard, 10th; F. M. Davison, 17th; W. E. Shepherd, jr., 7th; R. M. Bathurst, 3d; W. H. Saunders, 7th; C. E. Hurdiss, 6th; H. J. Schroeder, 8th; J. K. Tully, 3d; J. M. Devine, 3d; H. A. Nisley, 4th; F. H. McGlachlin, 3d; J. L. Guion, 7th; G. D. Wahl, 3d; B. H. Perry, 7th; R. H. Lewis, 5th; S. F. Clark, 8th; R. M. Gurney, 5th; O. B. Cardwell, 5th; W. O. Butler, 6th; R. W. Bentley, 7th.
June 2—F. Langham, 12th.
June 3—W. F. Maher, 2d; W. F. Wright, 15th; S. F. Dunn, 14th; L. W. Hasslock, 10th; B. A. Day, 4th; P. C. Harper, 17th; J. Kennedy, 9th; G. D. Shea, 21st; J. V. D. Hume, 11th; W. W. Woodbridge, 19th; G. S. Taylor, 3d; J. G. Pennypacker, 12th; R. H. Schubert, 20th; E. J. F. Marx, 16th; J. W. Weeks, 21st; W. C. Carlan, 8th; G. R. Rede, 18th; G. E. G. V. R. Vestal, 20th; J. H. Carraker, 16th; P. P. Michael, 2d; W. G. Gough, 15th; J. A. Mulhennin, 13th; A. W. McNeal, 14th; W. B. Wright, jr., 5th.
June 4—V. H. Bridgman, jr., 12th; W. L. Bevan, 4th.
June 5—H. J. Macpeake, 2d; F. W. Lykes, 13th; R. T. Guthrie, 17th; I. A. Luke, 10th; R. Griswold, 15th; H. Lockwood, jr., 8th; A. L. Campbell, 12th; O. B. Balla, jr., 16th; J. H. Larkin, 14th; D. R. Coleman, 3d; G. P. Winton, 18th; R. N. Getty, jr., 11th; G. J. Downing, 21st; C. Pickett, 13th; R. H. Rogers, 8th; J. C. Adams, 19th; A. C. Waters, 17th; E. T. Barco, 2d; L. A. Daugherty, 14th; W. G. Witt, 10th; J. E. Taken, 12th; R. J. Watrous, 21st; J. J. Waters, jr., 15th; T. G. Hanson, jr., 19th; B. N. Rock, 20th; A. S. Quintard, 8th.
June 14—M. A. S. Ming, 8th; L. E. Goodrich, 3d; V. R. Woodruff, 21st; R. W. Yates, 19th; D. C. Schmah, 10th; W. G. Dockum, 16th; C. M. Lucas, 12th; H. B. Berry, 20th; S. G. Fairchild, 15th; R. S. Perrin, 11th; B. M. Sawbridge, 13th; W. D. Davis, 4th; D. J. Sabini, 14th; H. Feldman, 2d; C. C. Stephens, 14th; C. T. Yates, 17th; A. C. Stanhope, 18th; J. H. Fye, 10th; J. T. A. Doollittle, 21st; C. R. Lehner, 12th; J. V. Palmer, 18th; J. F. Brittingham, 3d; G. Grant, 17th; E. A. McGovern, 13th; D. S. Doggett, 15th; A. D. Ruppel, 20th; R. M. Balliet, 19th; D. H. Trevor, 14th; W. E. Pfeiffer, 9th; W. O. Lattimore, 11th; A. A. Fleming, 16th; R. H. Dixon, 8th; E. M. Graves, 21st; W. W. Thomas, 2d; L. M. Daly, 17th; R. Mann, 10th; S. H. Cordill, 4th; N. E. McCluer, 20th; T. W. Stewart, 13th; F. E. Stenberg, 11th; H. E. Webber, 17th; Neufeld, 4th; C. W. Bonham, 15th; S. J. Cutler, 12th; W. R. Holcomb, 3d; H. Hollander, 16th.
June 15—A. O. Walsh, 13th.
June 16—E. C. Fleming, 10th; V. L. Minear, 20th; C. E. Boyle, 13th; K. J. Howe, 12th; E. A. Henn, 3d; H. H. Dodd, 19th; L. H. Wadsworth, 15th; J. W. L. Sutherland, 8th; A. M. Goldman, 21st; A. A. Dearing, 17th; J. W. Stewart, 14th; F. C. Le Gette, 16th; B. S. Dowd, 14th; J. M. Peirce, 14th; M. M. Elder, 17th; P. C. Austin, 20th; G. F. Kite, 18th; H. S. Herbine, 13th; C. T. McAleer, 8th; W. A. Noyes, 21st; F. R. Wing, 18th; E. J. Roe, 3d; M. W. Tapper, 14th; H. L. Williams, 15th; G. R. Middleton, 8th; W. H. Hayes, 11th; R. F. Blodgett, 21st; J. F. Lynch, 15th; C. C. Carney, 19th; R. A. Gordon, 16th.
July 9—W. B. B. Wilson, 16th.
Officers named, unless subject to previous orders, join regiment to which assigned.

ORDERS TO ENGINEERS, RESERVE CORPS.

ORDERED TO FORT LEAVENWORTH CAMP.

Officers of the E.O.R.C. ordered to active duty at Engineer training camp, Fort Leavenworth; War Dept. Orders of Aug. 15:

Majors G. Bailly, H. M. Trippe, M. Elliott, A. Smith, A. H. Lovell, R. H. Murray, M. O. Kasson, S. I. Wilkinson, G. W. Rathjens, R. B. Fanning, L. E. Curfman, F. E. Baker, G. M. Knapp, C. H. Rankin, G. A. Quinlan, H. H. Stickney, D. M. Duller, M. Garand, J. W. Walker, A. Y. Walton.
Capt. J. T. Ring, H. L. Dale, W. W. Gruber, C. M. Seymour, H. C. Hilgard, J. H. McCormick, jr., K. J. Boyd, S. Thayer, L. H. Ellison, W. K. Adams, A. E. Kriegsmann.
R. S. Durrell, S. G. Buckman, F. O. Allen, 3d, F. N. Wildish, C. S. McArdle, W. O. Axtell, W. E. Dick, J. S. Whyte, V. Morris, S. J. Gates, C. W. Zachow, W. H. Boyer, C. P. Fletcher, J. F. Zajack, J. H. Lewis, E. H. Coleman, C. E. Joubert, F. B. Grevenberg, J. H. Wasson, H. T. Beckwith, G. A. Gelb, G. K. McCullough.
C. O. Diffendorfer, R. R. Rader, F. E. Dennie, F. T. Payne, A. A. Laird, C. A. Ridenour, E. A. Wood, H. S. Warner, W. H. Lilly, C. L. Currier, W. H. Griffith, A. H. Holt, W. M. Shalleross, C. Larsen, E. M. Graham, J. B. Jackson, F. K. Webb, H. E. Shuddemagen, W. B. Hall, E. H. Corlett, H. E. Chambers, jr.
D. G. Hatmaker, A. E. Grunert, L. E. Knerr, L. L. Trinkle, L. E. Hess, J. M. Daniel, H. R. P. Holland, G. L. Edwards, L. Moon, D. P. Banks, W. G. Gamble, W. A. Winkle, E. B. Hocker, E. B. Lockridge, J. W. Thomas, P. N. Kingsley, C. E. Logan, O. A. Seward, jr., A. P. Christophel, W. D. Robinson, H. B. Walton, T. T. Eyre.
C. H. Armstrong, W. N. McDonald, P. W. Kelly, R. B. M. Wilson, S. C. Jump, J. H. Pottinger, E. O. Cook, A. E. Call, E. C. Slocumb, J. O. Salle, M. J. McCombs, H. F. Fellows, H. M. Hodges, E. E. Carlson, J. D. Utley, P. Topping, E. M. Turner, C. L. Marsh, R. E. Doherty, H. R. Gabriel, R. B. Hewitt and J. R. Tanner.
First Lieuts. A. C. Morgan, W. F. Davidson, F. C. Dugan,

D.C.; C. H. Brown, N.Y.; E. B. Hope, S.C.; F. W. Clarke, jr., Ga.; E. P. Norwood, S.C.; E. R. Brocher, Texas; C. P. Nash, W. Va.; D. S. Buchanan, Texas; P. S. Robinson, Va.; T. T. McEvoy, Ill.; W. H. Price, Md.; L. G. Merritt, S.C.; H. C. Savage, S.C.

Citizens to be second lieutenants in Marine Corps, probationary, two years, from Aug. 15, 1917: W. K. Snyder, Neb.; S. Ladd, N.M.; R. M. Montague, Idaho; A. C. Cramp, Pa.; J. T. Yarborough, S.C.; J. A. Willis, jr., Minn.; C. Z. Leshner, Ariz.; J. C. Wood, Cal.; T. R. Jewett, N.J.; J. R. Henderson, S.C.; W. T. Evans, Tenn.; G. D. Hamilton, Fla.; B. W. Gally, Cal.; L. B. Dysart, Wash.; J. F. Gargan, Ind.; C. I. Emery, Me.; C. P. Matteson, Wyo.; R. R. Hinkle, N.M.; W. H. Mathews, Ky.; C. T. Lawson, Pa.; D. I. Garrett, La.; N. H. Massie, Ky.; R. H. Jeschke, Ill.; S. W. Wentworth, N.H.; F. L. Shannon, Wash.; S. M. Noblitt, Ind.; F. P. Mulcahy, N.Y.; P. C. Wheeler, Pa.; B. H. Brown, Ind.; T. E. Kendrick, Mo.; B. L. Harper, Wis.; A. A. Le Bousq, Mass.; W. H. Walker, Ill.; A. W. Ogle, Tenn.; W. van D. Jewett, N.J.; R. S. Lytle, Cal.; P. E. McDermott, Wash.; A. P. Baston, Minn.; D. J. Kendall, Mass.; H. St. C. Wright, Fla.; H. B. Derrick, Md.; L. Stone, Mass.; L. B. Reagan, Miss.; D. S. Brown, Ariz.; R. H. Pepper, Pa.; R. L. Nelson, Ky.; J. B. Wilson, Ore.; J. McB. Sellers, Ill.; J. D. Colony, Mass.; L. B. Flint, Mo.; C. E. Murray, Okla.; J. A. Hagan, Va.; I. Langford, Texas; G. M. Sturgis, Md.; M. C. Chambers, Mo.; C. W. Meigs, N.Y.; J. W. Knighton, Md.; C. I. Murray, Pa.; J. A. Boulter, Wis.; K. S. Day, Ohio; G. L. Maxwell, Jr., Cal.; J. C. Bennett, Ga.; C. W. Smith, Ill.; J. A. Mixson, Cal.; C. B. Raleigh, Ark.; G. L. Maynard, jr., Cal.; W. H. Hollingsworth, Miss.; L. R. Warner, S.C.; J. O. Hyatt, Ariz.; O. K. Brown, Conn.; C. D. Roberts, Ohio; G. L. Gloecker, Texas; G. B. Erskine, La.

PROMOTIONS IN MARINE CORPS, TEMPORARY SERVICE.

Second lieutenants in Marine Corps to be first lieutenants in Marine Corps, for temporary service, from May 22, 1917: P. T. Case, E. G. Hagen, T. B. Gale, L. L. Gover, T. F. Harris, C. M. Jones and W. Elmore.

Second Lieut. A. H. Turner to be first lieutenant, Marine Corps, temporary service from Aug. 15, 1917.

Probationary second lieutenants in Marine Corps to be probationary first lieutenants in Marine Corps, temporary service, from May 22, 1917: T. T. Taylor and A. B. Jacques.

R. C. Swink, probationary second lieutenant, Marine Corps, to be probationary first lieutenant, Marine Corps, temporary service, from Aug. 15, 1917.

CAVALRY PROMOTIONS AND ASSIGNMENTS.

The following promotions and assignments in the Cavalry arm were announced in S.O. 194, Aug. 21, W.D. The dates preceding names are dates of rank. The major and lieutenant colonel promoted are unassigned. The second lieutenants promoted are all assigned to the present Cavalry organization as indicated except those marked with a star: Gillet is unassigned; Porter goes to 15th Cav.; Morrison, first lieutenant, unassigned, is assigned to 5th Cav.; Pierce to 2d, White to 11th, Morgan to 24th, and Stretton to 2d Cav.

To be Colonel.

June 22, 1917—Lieut. Col. Francis C. Marshall, 15th Cav. To be Lieutenant Colonel.

June 23, 1917—Major Cornelius C. Smith, D.O.L.

Second Lieutenants to be First Lieutenants.

Nov. 30, 1916—I. C. Helm, 19th; C. C. Krueger, 24th; G. M. Herringshaw, 7th; T. F. Limbocker, 25th; C. M. Daly, 3d. Dec. 1, 1916—R. B. Trimble, 14th.

Dec. 3, 1916—A. S. Harrington, 17th.
Dec. 25, 1916—F. L. Whittaker, 16th.
Jan. 16, 1917—F. H. Sherwood, 17th.
Jan. 23—R. S. LaMotte, 24th; G. M. Gillet, jr., 2d.
Jan. 25—A. E. Pickard, 12th; J. F. Dewhurst, 3d.
Jan. 26—D. S. Perry, 5th.
Jan. 29—T. S. Poole, 18th.
Jan. 30—F. G. Rosenberg, 11th; F. R. Lafferty, 5th; C. H. Strong, 14th.
Jan. 31—R. L. Beall, 5th; M. Frierson, jr., 23d.
Feb. 1—A. T. Lacey, 8th.
Feb. 2—D. W. Craig, 12th.
Feb. 3—E. M. Barnum, 13th; T. A. Dobyns, jr., 22d.
Feb. 6—J. T. Minton, 18th.
Feb. 10—W. T. Haldeman, 5th; E. S. Bassett, 20th.
Feb. 14—E. F. Shafer, 14th.
March 3—G. M. Peabody, jr., 16th.
March 24—A. B. Ellis, 16th.
March 31—H. K. Dalbey, 6th; J. W. McDonald, 12th; V. Kerney, 2d; D. H. Blakecock, 17th; R. L. Coe, 18th; Harold J. Duffey, 3d; J. C. Colwell, 5th.
April 8—A. C. Cotchett, 4th.
April 9—O. Porter, 9th.
April 12—A. D. Anderson, 12th.
April 13—A. B. Edson, 6th.
April 20—E. M. Eason, 9th.
May 3—H. H. Dunn, 13th.
May 14—G. L. Morrison.*
May 15—R. Lawrence, 7th; F. H. Clark, 16th; Joseph A. Covington, 1st; J. L. Rice, 12th; N. M. Imboden, 15th; R. Dickinson, 9th; J. N. Steele, 9th; E. M. Dwyer, 2d; F. G. Ingram, 19th; E. S. Mosle, 3d; A. St. John, 3d; F. J. Holzhauser, 14th; G. H. Carruth, 21st; R. M. Caswell, 8th; W. C. Merkel, 5th; J. M. Hurt, jr., 25th; G. I. Spear, 18th; C. B. Duncan, 19th; F. W. Angevine, 6th; J. W. Cunningham, 7th; S. G. Fuller, 6th; C. A. Pierce, 12th; T. McF. Cockrill, 3d; D. S. Wood, 7th; A. Vollmer, 7th; O. B. Trigg, 3d; G. W. L. Prettyman, 25th; T. M. Turner, 24th; H. L. Hudson, 6th; L. C. Frizzell, 7th; J. F. Sabini, 8th; R. F. White, 12th; H. D. Jay, 20th; R. L. Burnell, 16th; A. W. Hartman, 2d; J. W. Berry, 5th; J. N. Marx, 5th; G. Sawtelle, 21st; R. Harrison, 3d; W. P. Daugherty, 1st; J. T. Cole, 3d; S. H. Sherrill, 19th; Charles H. Gerhardt, 3d; W. H. Schulze, 3d; H. C. Holdridge, 5th; A. C. Smith, 3d; N. W. Lisle, 16th; P. G. Black, 18th; A. C. Standford, 7th; L. B. Meacham, 16th; L. LeR. Martin, 11th; W. K. Harrison, jr., 1st; J. F. Morford, 11th; E. N. Harmon, 2d; J. S. Tate, 8th; A. M. Harper, 5th; J. W. Confer, jr., 10th; H. N. Schwarzkopf, 18th; Robert N. Kunz, 18th; C. S. Kilburn, 17th; C. R. Johnson, jr., 5th; B. Morrow, 12th; C. B. Compton, 13th; F. R. Parker, 19th.
June 3—G. H. Dasher, 6th; C. E. Neal, 8th; M. S. Silver, 11th; W. H. Symington, 13th; P. B. Fryer, 22d; D. C. Hawley, 25th; V. L. Padgett, 2d; J. W. MacKelvie, 20th; F. T. Bonsteel, 24th; W. E. Barott, 4th; W. F. Hamilton, 19th; F. Nelson, 25th; W. E. McMin, 24th; E. M. Crump, 21st; H. F. Rathjen, 23d; D. J. Keane, 13th; M. J. Warner, 18th; LeR. Davis, 1st; A. J. Tittinger, 20th; M. D. Holmes, 25th; C. A. Ellis, 19th; D. L. Sears, 1st; B. E. Mattox, jr., 15th; F. H. Barnhart, 17th; J. A. Moschner, 6th; G. E. Harrison, 5th; W. J. White, 2nd; A. W. Howard, 14th; N. Ferguson, 8th.
June 4—R. W. Carter, 18th; K. Rowntree, 23d; G. A. King, 9th.
June 5—J. B. Lockwood, 16th; L. L. Meyer, 14th; F. H. L. Ryder, 10th Cav.; Wallace W. Crawford, 3d; T. B. Aggar, 11th; J. B. Osborn, 5th; M. H. Christian, 17th; M. R. Monarratt, 4th; F. B. Shipp, 12th; J. J. Cecil, 18th; G. A. Moore, 7th; J. M. Shelton, 10th; A. E. Kusche, 21st; G. W. Gay, 2d; F. Bacon, 15th; R. L. Joyner, 16th; R. S. Parker, 10th; H. S. Dodd, 2d; K. C. Lambert, 22d; G. E. Hubsteiner, 9th; R. B. Lloyd, 18th; M. Morgan, 21st; G. E. Bixby, 1st; E. Burnett, 8th; C. F. Houghton, 2d.
June 14—J. E. Slack, 9th; C. S. Mitcham, 25th; W. O. Johnson, 10th; H. B. Gibson, 1st; J. D. Hood, 5th; W. E. Kepner, 11th; M. S. Williamson, 23d; E. W. Opie, 19th; F. P. Stretton, 7th; P. Hurlbert, 3d; A. Y. Hardy, 17th; E. B. Wilson, 16th; E. J. Engel, 18th; J. E. Grant, 23d; J. M. Beardon, 12th; G. D. Coleman, 25th; L. Mesherry, 9th;

R. A. Thurstein, E. L. Colcord, R. B. Pearce, A. W. Baumgartner, E. J. Stephenson, J. E. Hayden, A. B. Reeve, H. W. Deakman, J. C. Vosburgh, C. M. McKenzie, D. M. Forester, E. M. Hornot, L. H. Merrill, D. H. Barber, E. J. Teberg, K. Urquhart, M. G. Martling, C. A. Case, S. A. McWhirter.

J. A. Noble, A. M. Bowles, J. E. L. Millender, P. H. Olsen, C. Jones, A. A. Turnquist, W. D. Stuart, Jr., J. C. Lefter, D. H. Levy, P. K. Lutken, W. E. Stark, E. F. Mail, H. L. Peterson, J. B. Ooms, G. D. Camp, T. J. Jones, J. W. Alger, R. F. Albert, H. W. Lamb, T. L. Crosswell.

L. Wulsin, H. H. Smith, M. E. Pumphrey, E. Hsley, H. P. Jones, M. W. Hewett, A. M. Lawrence, W. E. Zass, Jr., D. E. Durio, C. R. Woods, L. L. Ticktin, W. E. Lofgren, H. Larsen, S. A. Judson, W. S. Mussenden, F. L. Keelman, J. W. Anderson, R. F. Wills, A. X. Schroeter, M. V. Holmes, G. B. McClary, E. J. Burke, M. W. Cochran.

J. J. Estill, G. J. Sleight, Jr., T. H. Coghill, J. V. Butler, T. Hampton, W. M. Brayton, G. A. Ridgeway, L. S. Bruner, F. C. Stilson, J. R. Burchfield, F. H. Irwin, H. H. Anderson, C. E. Roberts, N. A. Hotard, F. E. Johnston, L. M. Blumenfeld, J. R. Rasmussen, F. B. Wiperman, G. P. Weber, J. E. France.

H. P. Gassin, F. R. Paine, W. H. Beyer, A. Burton, C. R. Halle, G. Hickenlooper, W. F. Bourland, J. C. Pritchard, R. W. Willard, H. A. Frankenstein, E. Wendel, C. T. Butler, J. Hardy, F. E. Hubbard, J. R. Johnston, J. G. Lott, L. T. Taylor, L. K. Warner, D. H. Lyford, E. W. Howard, F. E. Kruesi.

R. B. Carruthers, T. J. Dwyer, J. D. Miller, R. B. Kelley, G. J. Durely, H. D. Sawyer, J. J. Cerny, S. L. Hoffman, R. W. Edson, R. E. McCullough, L. S. Treuthart, F. L. Timmons, A. S. Turner, E. G. Killey, J. E. Burke, W. E. Munk, R. P. Donogh, J. J. Long, E. M. Brennan, C. H. Glaser, O. Gumpfer, W. W. Gwathney, Jr.

J. E. Johnson, H. E. Taylor, T. E. Nunan, D. F. Mulvihill, S. L. Hollopeter, H. H. White, W. H. Purcell, I. A. Bickelhaupt, J. McVicar, Jr., R. V. Utter, M. H. Harris, W. O. Harting, J. A. Given, H. C. Porter, R. H. Cameron, L. E. Delf, J. E. Bell, R. B. Rutledge, A. A. Evans, R. G. Gill, H. G. Fairbanks, F. G. Tappan.

E. H. Boynton, F. A. McCartney, L. C. Gordon, M. W. Loving, H. A. Wortham, W. R. Matheny, R. D. Dalton, A. M. Higley, W. N. Thomas, Jr., H. C. Thomas, W. F. Dietrichson, J. D. Wright, C. R. Robinson, B. F. Winston, C. L. French, C. A. Bessey, G. V. Mitchell, M. R. Kulp, G. A. Roden, E. W. Bullard, L. C. Dodge, P. M. Ellman, G. R. Forbes, S. R. Hartwell, E. T. Murchison, J. W. Anderson.

Second Lieut. S. N. Abrams, C. Sacra, R. H. Ely, R. Hirsch, C. E. Kock, A. N. Purnell, R. S. Boynton, R. P. Wagner, L. S. Ryan, G. A. Hull, E. M. ReQua, H. V. Bennett, L. E. Boyd, R. W. Evans, R. O. Shriver, L. S. Stites, F. B. Avery, L. Tucker, W. Howbert.

J. E. La Rue, O. S. Petty, J. W. Eahart, W. I. S. Emley, H. P. Stockton, Jr., W. B. Booth, W. O. Blair, L. T. Patton, E. A. Stanley, C. E. Bill, G. S. Baldwin, J. D. Burge, C. W. Tanner, C. P. Davidson, Jr., L. J. Madden, F. A. Fiedler, J. M. Dunnigan, W. D. Bright, D. L. Hook.

A. W. Smith, R. E. Loveland, S. T. Bates, V. Wilson, M. P. Smith, E. F. Emmer, E. B. Phillips, M. B. Hodges, H. S. Holtze, V. Friedrichs, J. V. Shufelt, C. N. Neff, A. H. Niles, I. J. Bowman, P. B. Thompson, G. W. Outland, C. W. Forde, Jr., T. K. Rothermund, T. C. Gerber, R. O. Pauly, B. G. Davidson, J. C. Miller, Jr.

L. D. Smiley, M. H. Hippell, L. S. Dillon, J. C. Robbers, E. E. Eckenbeck, J. S. Means, N. S. Hill, L. E. Tull, R. G. Wiseman, M. L. Hamaker, L. R. Crews, J. J. Schwarz, E. J. Condon, C. A. Buechner, W. R. Hudson, J. S. Gillum, A. S. Butler, F. B. Knepper, E. W. Hopkins, J. A. Deery, Jr., J. B. Durham, J. W. Fletcher, H. D. Myers, H. N. Peterson, J. C. Schultz, L. H. Umbach, E. B. Stephenson, R. H. Short, C. E. Miller, G. E. Greer, P. N. Nicolett, A. D. Mason, T. B. Rogers, P. B. Tarrt, A. B. Chaney, V. A. Vaughn, J. A. O'Brien, H. H. Bate, L. G. Watters, D. B. Morrow, H. I. Leviton, R. C. Johnson, B. V. Zamore.

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TO VARIOUS CAMPS.

Officers of E.O.R.C. to training camps indicated not later than Aug. 29, 1917, for duty as instructors: To report at Plattsburg Barracks, N.Y.—First Lieut. G. V. Sweet, 2d Lieut. R. P. Hart. To report at Fort Niagara, N.Y.—Capt. E. C. Church, 2d Lieut. J. A. Dodge.

To report at the Engineer training camp, American University Grounds, D.C.—Capt. L. P. Wood, Capt. L. Durham, 1st Lieut. T. S. Hauck, E. J. Flanagan, F. L. Ahern, 2d Lieut. K. A. Tapscott, R. B. Hubbard, H. L. King. (Aug. 14, War D.)

TO ENGINEER DEPOTS.

Following officers of E.O.R.C. to the camps indicated after their names for duty as officers in charge of the Engineer depots at those places: In the vicinity of Washington, D.C.—First Lieut. H. A. Jones to Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala.; 2d Lieut. T. Dickinson to Camp Green, Charlotte, N.C.; 2d Lieut. J. F. A. Leonard to Camp Wolsworth, Spartanburg, S.C. Fort Leavenworth, Kas.—Capt. A. G. L. Toombs to Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga.; 1st Lieut. C. H. Roe to Camp Sevier, Greenville, S.C.; A. E. Hartwell to Camp Wheeler, Macon, Ga.; D. M. Wright to Camp Beasgard, Alexandria, La., and R. C. Kautz to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S.C.; 2d Lieut. E. Miller to Camp McClellan, Annapolis, Md., and R. H. Short to Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark. Vancouver Bks., Wash.—First Lieut. R. F. Braly to Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss.

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Second Lieut. Carl A. Buechner, E.O.R.C., to Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., for duty in charge of Engineer depot. Officers of E.O.R.C. to duty as assistants to officers in charge of Engineer depots at places named: In the vicinity of Washington, D.C.—Second Lieut. C. E. Bretz and 1st Lieut. F. F. Harbour. Fort Leavenworth, Kas.—Capt. R. B. Hewitt, 1st Lieut. L. G. Lyman and 2d Lieut. S. N. Miller.

Officers of E.O.R.C. to the camps indicated after their names for duty as officers in charge of the Engineer depots at those places: Fort Leavenworth, Kas.—First Lieut. C. W. Willis to Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, and LeR. Johnson to Camp Travis, San Antonio, Texas. Vancouver Bks., Wash.—Capt. C. A. Heinze to Camp Logan, Houston, Texas; Capt. A. L. Enger to Camp Cody, Deming, N.M.; 2d Lieut. R. F. Dean to Camp Doniphan, Fort Sill, Okla.; 2d Lieut. C. F. Toklas to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas.

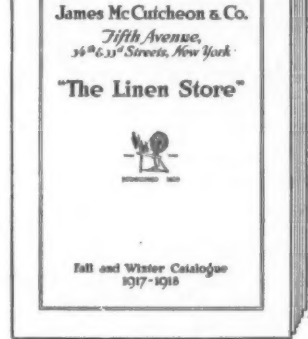
Capt. Louis E. Thornton, E.O.R.C., to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., in charge of the Engineer depot. Following officers of E.O.R.C. to the camps indicated after their names for duty as officers in charge of the Engineer depots: Fort Leavenworth, Kas.—First Lieut. H. C. Rawson to Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, Ohio; 1st Lieut. F. A. McComber to Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa; 2d Lieut. L. H. Umbach to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich. Vancouver Bks., Wash.—First Lieut. E. E. Schliwen to Camp Taylor, Louisville, Ky.; 1st Lieut. F. L. Weisenheimer to Camp Funston, Fort Riley, Kas.; 2d Lieut. C. E. Putnam to Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill.

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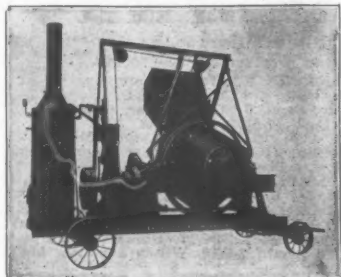
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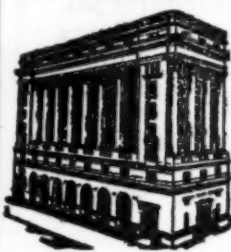
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Krieger, William A., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Newport, Ky.
Neubauer, Charles T., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Omaha, Neb.
Brown, Paul F., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Minneapolis, Minn.
Gaston, John O., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Park Ridge, Ill.
Crawford, William H., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Rushville, Nebr.
Wainwright, Allen G., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, St. Louis, Mo.
Schroeder, John H., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Maes, Alvin H., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, St. Louis, Mo.
Anderson, Nels P., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Sherburn, Minn.
Platt, John J., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, St. Paul, Minn.
Eberhard, Fred G., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, South Whitley, Ind.
Hubbard, William M., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Rembrandt, Iowa.
King, Thomas W., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Maloy, Iowa.
Carey, Willis W., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Fort Wayne, Ind.
Gillis, Hudson McB., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Wood River, Ill.
Hodson, H. O., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Washington C.H., Ohio.
George, Abel B., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Red Oak, Iowa.
Morrow, Carl W., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Henney, Nebr.
Tharaldsen, Thorann, 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Cottonwood, Minn.
Hood, Tarlton A., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Garnett, Kas.
Hurd, Bret B., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Caledonia, Ohio.
Frazier, Claude E., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Kansas City, Mo.
Meriwether, Charles N., 1st Lieut., Pauline, Nebr.
Beeson, Henry B., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Cornell, Wis.
McGuire, Roy A., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Brighton, Iowa.
Cady, Clinton C., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Harris, Iowa.
Burkholder, Charles A., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Chicago, Ill.
Neblett, Lamar W., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Louisville, Ky.
Bulson, Glenn A., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Detroit, Mich.
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Carley, Arthur W., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Dayton, Ohio.
Maddox, William H., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Wauseon, Ohio.
Tomlinson, Louis M., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Harveyville, Kas.
Hewitt, Homer S., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, De Motte, Ind.
Harvey, Fred E., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Minneapolis, Minn.
Vis, Edward W., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Central Lake, Mich.
Kraft, Sigurd H., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Chicago, Ill.
Clayton, Emanuel H., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Arkansas City, Kas.
Thomas, George H., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Holland, Mich.
Baker, Lester W., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Herrin, Ill.
Aland, Albert H., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Cleveland, Ohio.
Elliston, Leroy B., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, De Pue, Ill.
Kling, Henry A., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Montague, Mich.
Danner, Rufus J., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, West Terre Haute, Ind.
Johnston, Kenneth L., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Oskaloosa, Iowa.
LeClere, Joseph E., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Le Sueur, Minn.
McLean, Hugh L., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Wilmore, Ky.
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McKinney, Clarence D., 1st Lieut., 6-30-17, Champaign, Ill.
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Williams, James C., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Fort Morgan, Colo.
Williams, Alfred J., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Jackson Center, Ohio.
Allen, Robert M., 1st Lieut., 6-28-17, Cleveland, Ohio.
Hudson, John R., 1st Lieut., 7-2-17, Dayton, Ohio.
McDougall, William, 1st Lieut., 7-2-17, Minneapolis, Minn.
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Trafton, Frank J., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Jefferson, Iowa.
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Lee, Joseph D., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Menomonee, Wis.
Perkins, Clell B., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Centerburg, Ohio.
Cook, William B., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Meyer, Oliver A., 2d Lieut., 6-28-17, Alton, Ill.
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Roth, Warren M., 2d Lieut., 7-5-17, Lincolnville, Kas.
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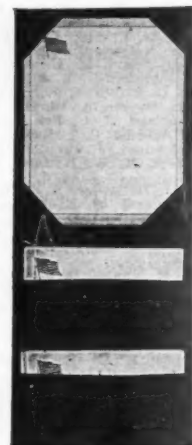
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Black, Gurdon G., Capt., 7-5-17, St. Louis, Mo.
Goddard, Leslie D., Capt., 6-23-17, Ann Arbor, Mich.
Thorenson, John E., Capt., 6-23-17, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.
Morris, William S., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, Duluth, Minn.
Fredrick, Conrad G., 1st Lieut., 7-5-17, West Duluth, Minn.
Anderson, Harry P., 1st Lieut., 6-13-17, Detroit, Mich.
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McFarland, M. F., 1st Lieut., 7-30-17, Fort Madison, Iowa.
McKnight, Roscoe, 1st Lieut., 7-30-17, Hiawatha, Kas.
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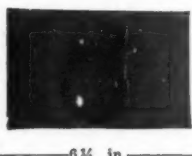
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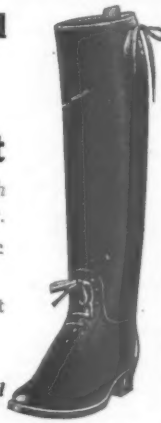
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 Harman, Howard E., 1st Lieut., 4-24-17, Manila, P. I.

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 Robinson, Henry B., Capt., 5-21-17, Manila, P. I.
 Massa, J. A., Capt., 5-1-17, Manila, P. I.

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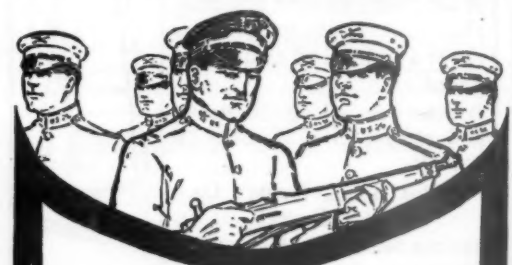
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 Bond, Charles Wood, Capt., 6-20-17, New Centre, Mass.
 Crawshaw, James Lloyd, Capt., 7-26-17, Wallston, Mass.
 Poole, Walter B., Capt., 7-26-17, Boston, Mass.

ORDNANCE OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Broderick, David P., Major, 7-26-17, Hartford, Conn.
 Hammar, S. A., Sten, Capt., 7-16-17, New Haven, Conn.
 Warner, Ralph M., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Highwood, Conn.
 Alvord, Clayton H., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Springfield, Mass.
 Audet, Herbert R., 1st Lieut., 6-20-17, South Hadley Center, Mass.
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Woolsey, Theodore S., Jr., Major, 8-4-17, Washington, D.C.
Brees, Charles P., Capt., 7-20-17, Norfolk, Va.
Ashley, Carl, Capt., 7-30-17, New York city.
Cudebec, Albert B., Capt., 7-30-17, New York city.
Smith, Earl A., 1st Lieut., 6-23-17, Picher, Pa.
Piper, John S., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Yonkers, N.Y.
Jenny, Louis A., Capt., 5-23-17, Dumont, N.J.
Gregg, William B., 1st Lieut., 7-23-17, Hackensack, N.J.
Gregg, Otis T., 1st Lieut., 7-23-17, Hackensack, N.J.
Fisher, Charles R., 1st Lieut., 7-23-17, Washington, D.C.
Clark, Leroy F., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Batavia, N.Y.
Weber, John, 1st Lieut., 7-7-17, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Spiller, Ernest M., 1st Lieut., 7-18-17, Wytheville, Va.
Janushek, Arthur J., 1st Lieut., 6-19-17, Baltimore, Md.
Young, P. J., 1st Lieut., 7-30-17, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Lydig, Philip M., Major, 7-16-17, New York city.
McLarren, Edmund W., Capt., 7-26-17, Washington, D.C.
Lipscomb, Adgate A., Capt., 7-26-17, Washington, D.C.
King, Lloyd, Capt., 7-20-17, Washington, D.C.
Bruning, Henry, Capt., 7-20-17, Brooklyn, N.Y.
Spang, Frederick C., Capt., 7-20-17, Washington, D.C.
Lewis, Leroy, Capt., 6-26-17, Washington, D.C.
Hartwick, Jacob L., Capt., 7-23-17, Washington, D.C.
Arrighi, Charles Thurber, Capt., 7-26-17, New York city.
Carter, Charles O., Capt., 7-26-17, Philadelphia, Pa.
Dearborn, William D., Capt., 7-23-17, Washington, D.C.
Diehl, Theobald, Capt., 6-1-17, Washington, D.C.
Gillespie, Frederick J., Capt., 7-26-17, New York city.
Littauer, William, Capt., 7-16-17, Washington, D.C.
Maye, Robert T., Capt., 7-26-17, Baltimore, Md.
Ogbum, David, Capt., 7-23-17, Washington, D.C.
Douglas, D. Delmar, Capt., 7-26-17, Binghamton, N.Y.

ORDNANCE OFFICERS' RESERVE CORPS.

Clark, Henry S., Major, 7-18-17, New York city.
Brill, George M., Major, 6-26-17, White Plains, N.Y.
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Clark, Frederick B., Capt., 7-26-17, Englewood, N.J.
Toothe, Edward S., Capt., 7-16-17, New York city.

Toulmin, Harry, Jr., Capt., 7-26-17, Washington, D.C.
Auchincloss, Samuel S., Capt., 7-26-17, Washington, D.C.
Doe, William B., Capt., 7-26-17, Maurer, N.J.
Cook, William P., Jr., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, New York city.
Van Denberg, John W., Capt., 7-18-17, Mount Vernon, N.Y.
Milburn, Thomas Y., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Washington, D.C.
Curtis, Brian C., 1st Lieut., 7-20-17, New York city.
Anderson, Paul, 1st Lieut., 6-25-17, Washington, D.C.
McQuillen, Charles B., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Passaic, N.J.
Cowenhoven, George M., 1st Lieut., 7-18-17, Brooklyn, N.Y.
Cook, William P., Jr., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, New York city.
Washington, Lamar, 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Bloomfield, N.J.
Ross, Cleveland G., 1st Lieut., 7-20-17, Newburg, N.Y.
Cady, Walter H., 1st Lieut., 6-26-17, Washington, D.C.
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Ennis, James E., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, New York city.
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Harvey, James H., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Brooklyn, N.Y.
Gordon, Charles, 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, New York, N.Y.
Pomeroy, William M., 1st Lieut., 7-20-17, Harrisburg, Pa.
Pomeroy, John N., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Chambersburg, Pa.
Werntz, Frank E., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Wadsworth, N.Y.
Hare, Kenneth R., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Westfield, N.J.

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Snyder, James R., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Morristown, Pa.
Finan, Thomas G., 1st Lieut., 7-10-17, Fort Grant, Canal Zone.
Powers, Philip H., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Coatesville, Pa.

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Shade, Arthur J., Capt., 7-18-17, New York city.
Colt, Robert M., Capt., 6-26-17, Gloversville, N.Y.
Northrup, James A., Capt., 7-26-17, Johnstown, N.Y.
Murphy, William H., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, Roselle Park, N.J.
Egbert, Lester D., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, New York city.
Corson, Bolton L., 1st Lieut., 7-20-17, Plymouth Meeting, Pa.
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Webb, Torrey H., 1st Lieut., 7-16-17, New York city.
Bardwell, Harold E., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Mineola, N.Y.
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McConnell, Murray, 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, New York city.
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Packard, John H., 1st Lieut., 7-30-17, Washington, D.C.
Tiffany, Carter, 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, Summit, N.J.
Speyers, Julian R., 1st Lieut., 7-26-17, New York city.

Col. Lansing H. Beach, Corps of Engrs., U.S.A., has evolved a plan for creating artificial tides in the Ohio River that has recently been the subject of a conference of coal-shippers at Marietta, Ohio. The "tides" are to be produced by releasing the water impounded behind the dams which have been constructed in the river between Pittsburgh and Cincinnati. According to Colonel Beach, the feasibility of the plan was demonstrated in the week of Aug. 18, when 20,000 tons of coal were carried from near Huntington, W. Va., to Cincinnati on the breast of such a "tide." Shippers declare it would have required 350 coal cars to have transported the shipment. The experiment was supervised by Colonel Beach.

Yale is to be congratulated, says the Boston Transcript, on the energy and extent of its arrangements to strengthen courses of military instruction and training when the university opens this autumn. Chief among its new acquisitions are two Canadian officers, Capt. Alan G. Bland, C.F.A., and Lieut. Raymond H. Massey, C.F.A. Both have had ample experience in the fighting on the Western front and both will take up continuous residence at New Haven.

An English defender of the Admiralty, says the Springfield Republican, in trying to answer the question "What would Nelson have done?" pertinently reminds his readers that nowadays the Nelson who fought Trafalgar could never have got by a medical board with his one arm, his one eye, his damaged head, and his chronic invalidism. In Nelson's day it was enough to be a fighter.

Col. Henry C. Davis, U.S.A., retired, who is professor of military science and tactics for the Reserve Officers' Training Corps at the University of South Carolina, Columbia, S.C., desires to hear of a retired Regular Army man who wishes a detail on active pay as assistant. Sergeant of a staff corps preferred. Detail under G.O. 49, W.D., 1916.

Hoping to win their way to the top of their profession by becoming bona-fide officers, General A. Read, Colonel Oscar Williams, and Lieutenant Goddard McCabe are now serving as privates in the ranks of the United States Marine Corps. They were given their official names by their parents, and not through any military service or appointment.

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The German scowled and returned: "I hope you don't dare to call it William."
"Oh, no, officer. I think too highly of my jackass."
—Paris Liberté.

The Western Society of Engineers made a presentation of colors to the 1st Regiment Illinois Engineers, Monday, Aug. 27, on the parade ground, west end of Municipal Pier, Chicago. There was a large attendance.

Crown Prince (to Kaiser, drafting his next speech)—"For Gott's sake, father, be careful this time, and don't call the American Army 'contemptible.'"—Punch.

We are informed, that seven out of eight students prepared by Drew's Coaching School in San Francisco, Cal., in June were successful.

Suggestion to medical officers.
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